WEATHER FORECASTS

The barometer remains stationary on the Coast, and showery, mild weather is becoming general over this Province. Heavy rains have occurred in Saskatchewan.

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## *League to Ask Powers How Far They Can Go In Reducing War Force*

### Disarmament Preparatory Body Decides Best Way to Begin Is to Send Arms Questionnaire to Nations—All to Be Quizzed on Willingness to Curtail Strength

### Reduction of Peace-Time Units Urged; Curtailment of Munition Stocks Asked

GENEVA, May 25.—In preparation for the international conference on the reduction of armaments, the first question which will be asked of every country is: "To what extent can you lay down your arms?"

When the drafting committee of the preparatory commission on disarmament, which is trying to arrange an agenda for the international conferences, made its complete report to a plenary public session of the commission tonight, the delegates discovered that everything was contingent on this question.

Each nation will be asked to state what amount of armaments it thinks it requires, calculated with reference to the degree of security existing at the time the conference meets. Every country also must give reasons to justify its claim for a particular quantity of armaments, whether it be naval, land or air.

**Cannot Limit Ultimate Strength**

In going over the list of questions on which expert advice is sought, the drafting committee held that it is impracticable at present to limit the ultimate war strength of countries, but affirmed that it is possible to limit land, sea and air forces permanently maintained in peace time or capable of immediate use without preliminary mobilization measures.

As a help to the experts in determining methods for reduction of armaments, the committee suggested making reductions in the larger peace time units, or of their establishment or equipment, or reduction of any forces that can be immediately mobilized. It also suggested cutting down the length of active service and reducing stocks of munitions.

**Regional Pacts in Question**

The experts are asked to consider whether regional military, naval and air agreements can be regarded as an important step toward general disarmament. Some of the delegates view this question as paving the way to separate naval accords, which however, would be linked up with the League's general disarmament effort.

In connection with the move definitely to abandon poison gas warfare,

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## JEW KILLS FORMER UKRAINE PRESIDENT

### GENERAL PETLURA SHOT IN PARIS—DIES LATER IN HOSPITAL

**Assassin Exults Over Deed—Victim Declared to Have Mistreated Hebrews When in Power**

PARIS, May 25.—The spectacular career of General Simon Petlura, former President of the Ukrainian republic, recognized as such by the Allies in March, 1919, and later beaten by the Bolsheviki, came to an end tonight. He died in the charity hospital a few hours after he was shot down by a Ukrainian Jew, Samuel Schwartzbar, in the student quarter of Paris.

Petlura was walking in the Boulevard St. Michel, when he was accosted by Schwartzbar, who shouted: "Dirty dog, defend yourself." Then he fired a revolver and when he was surrounded he did not resist arrest. The police saved him from attack by a large crowd.

Schwartzbar exulted over his deed, saying it was in revenge for the way Petlura had mistreated Russian Jews in the Ukraine when he held power.

### from the Colonist Tower

***Wednesday, May 26***

**146th Day, 1926**

**THE WEATHER**

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, generally fair and mild with showers.

**Sun Rises: 4:21 o'clock.**
**Sun Sets: 7:59 o'clock.**

**High Tide: 1:03 p.m., 8.5 feet.**
**Low Tide: 8:44 a.m., 1.9 feet.**

*Deep Sea Shipping*

**Arrivals—**
Arisona Maru, from Orient, 9:30 p.m.

*Sport*

Baseball—Travelers, 8; Eagles, 4.
Wethered, Von Elm and Gardner eliminated from British amateur golf.
Cricket—Australia, 321; Oxford, 131 and 177.

*The News*

**Local and Provincial—**
City Water Commission presents figures showing cause of low pressure in Saanich.
Mr. Grant Hall, vice-president of C.P.R., arrives in city with party.
**Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—**
C.N.R. statement tabled in Ottawa House.
Strike causes split between leaders of British Liberal party.
League to ask nations to say how far they are prepared to go in disarmament.
Eye witness tells how volcano turned flood loose on Japanese villages.
Round-world traveler reaches London in race with time.

### *Big New Motor Car Expected to Travel 200 Miles in Hour*

LONDON, May 25.—A giant motor car now being completed at Wolverhampton to attempt to lower the world's speed record, will be officially rated at 1,000 horsepower, have two engines and twelve cylinders, will consume a gallon of gasoline a mile and is expected to attain a speed of 200 to 230 miles an hour. Major Seagrave, noted driver, will attempt to lower the record in September.

## C.N.R. PROGRESSING DECLARES MINISTER

### BIGGER POPULATION WOULD PUT NATIONAL ROAD ON FEET, HOUSE TOLD

**Net Operating Earnings for First Part of Year Show Improvement—$31,000,000 Required**

OTTAWA, May 25.—"We hear various proposals from time to time intended to relieve our railway ills. My own view is that the solution of the problem must be found along lines of greater density of traffic," Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways, thus summed up the railway situation in making his annual statement to the House of Commons today. Greater density of population, Mr. Dunning urged, would provide greater density of traffic where most needed. The lean lines of the National system would no longer absorb so much of the vitality of the fat.

**Minister Optimistic**

Points from the statement were:

1. Given reasonably good harvest and freedom from traffic losses, due to labor differences, this year may see the National Railways meeting entire interest charges due the public.

2. Operating net for first four months of 1926 shows improvement of $5,914,435 over first four months of 1925.

3. Budget amount required for fiscal year 1926-27 is $31,000,000. Gross capital expenditure proposed is $19,127,284, including Central Vermont. The latter figure is reduced to $15,727,284 by retirements recoverable through operating account.

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## VICTORIANS SECURE DEGREES AT M'GILL

### FIVE FROM THIS CITY AMONG SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS AT EASTERN UNIVERSITY

**Mr. Sivertz Gets Ph.D., Mr. Smith Secures M.A.—Vancouver Man Wins Governor's Medal**

MONTREAL, May 25.—Three hundred and sixty-three degrees will be conferred by McGill University at convocation on Friday. Degrees to be awarded include:

Doctor of Philosophy—C. Sivertz, Victoria.

Master of Arts—H. L. Smith, Victoria.

Master of Science—B. P. Sutherland, Vancouver and J. G. P. S. Clelland, Penticton.

Bachelor of Science—In chemical engineering, E. B. Lusby, New Westminster; in civil engineering, J. H. Hinchliffe, Victoria; in electrical engineering, K. Reid, Metchosin; in mining engineering, H. T. Alrey, Nelson.

In the faculty of medicine, Western students were granted the following degrees:

Doctor of Medicine, Master of Surgery—H. H. Boucher, Chilliwack; N. D. Hall, Nanaimo; J. S. Anderson, Chilliwack; Anita Cecelia MacDonald, New Westminster; A. B. Manson, Vancouver; A. B. Nash, Victoria; A. P. Proctor, Vancouver; and C. W. Silk, Lytton, B.C.

Doctor of Dental Surgery (D.D.S.)—O. E. Jerome, Vancouver.

John Russell, Vancouver, has been awarded the Governor-General's silver medal for the best research work carried on at McGill University during the 1925-26 term.

### *Treaty Approved*

ROME, May 25.—The senate today approved the commercial treaty between Italy and Germany.

### *Missing Evangelist's Fate Remains Mystery*

MRS. AIMEE McPHERSON

Widely-known evangelist, founder and pastor of Angelus Temple, Los Angeles, whose fate has been a mystery since she went for a swim at Santa Monica, nine days ago.

## POLICE REDOUBLING SEARCH FOR PASTOR

### ACCIDENTAL DROWNING OF MRS. McPHERSON DOUBTED BY LOS ANGELES OFFICIALS

**Thorough Investigation to Start If Body Is Not Found Within Forty-Eight Hours**

LOS ANGELES, May 25.—A new and thorough investigation of the disappearance of Aimee Semple McPherson will be undertaken by authorities of Santa Monica and Los Angeles if the body of the religious leader is not found within forty-eight hours.

This investigation, authorities indicated, would be along lines contrary to the accepted theory of her thousands of followers and others that the Angelus Temple pastor was accidentally drowned while surf bathing off Santa Monica last Tuesday.

Hope that the body would be cast up by the ocean or found by divers, though diminishing, had not been dissipated entirely, however, and the eighth day of the search today centred near the point at which the evangelist swam outward with strong strokes a week ago today and is not definitely known to have returned.

## CONFIRMATION OF CITY STAND GIVEN

### MR. PRESTON SHOWS VICTORIA NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOW PRESSURE IN SAANICH

**Ald. Woodward Says Figures Prove That Fault Lies With Saanich Water System**

Confirmation of the contention of the City of Victoria that the responsibility of the lack of water pressure in Saanich is due not to any fault of the city, but to the defective state of Saanich's own distribution system, is given in a communication addressed to the City Council last night by City Water Commissioner Frank M. Preston.

Water Commissioner Preston's letter was as follows:

"With further reference to my letter of last Monday with reference to the alleged lack of pressure in the city's mains:

"At the request of Alderman Woodward, I have taken pressure at the meters situated as follows with the following results:

"Burnside and Dupplin Roads, city's side of reducing valve, 126 lbs.; Saanich's side of reducing valve, 110 lbs.

"Wilkinson and Burnside Roads, city's side of reducing valve, 122 lbs.; Saanich's side of reducing valve, 94 lbs.

"Albina and Burnside Roads, city's side of reducing valve, 137 lbs.; Saanich's side, no gauge.

"I think that the above figures speak for themselves.

"Respectfully submitted,

"FRANK M. PRESTON,
"City Engineer and Water Commissioner."

In commenting upon the above statement, Alderman Woodward said that the figures showed conclusively that the City of Victoria had provided twenty-five per cent more water pressure than Saanich municipality had availed itself of, and that, therefore, it was not Victoria, but Saanich that was responsible for any low pressure that might exist in Saanich district.

### *Cairo Sirdar Assassin Given Supreme Penalty*

CAIRO, May 25.—Mohammed Ali was sentenced to death and six others were acquitted on the completion today of the trials growing out of a series of political crimes which culminated in the assassination of Sir Lee Stack, Sirdar.

### *French Troops Occupy New Riffian Territory*

RABAT, Morocco, May 25.—The French third division, according to information given out in French quarters, has occupied the Hamman Range, forming the heart of the Beni Ouriaghel country, which it dominates from a height of 6,000 feet.

### *Italian Found Dead*

VANCOUVER, May 25.—With a revolver and a note written in Italian, which has not yet been translated, lying beside him, the body of Peter Fabria, sixty, was found today in his houseboat on Dead Man's Island, in the harbor here, where he had resided for nearly forty years.

## VOLCANO BLAST LOOSES TORRENT

### Eye-Witness Tells of Japanese Disaster—Crater Lake Released by Eruption—Flood Hits Villages

### FORTY CHILDREN CAUGHT ON RETURN FROM SCHOOL

### Villagers in Shrieking Flight Overtaken and Buried by Onrushing Wall of Lava and Water

TOKIO, May 26.—An eye-witness account of Monday's disastrous eruption of the long-dormant Mount Tokachi describes the descent of a huge avalanche of water, mud and lava, sweeping down a mountain like a tidal wave, carrying with it trees and telegraph poles and obliterating the railway near the base of the volcano. This description is contained in a dispatch to The Tokio Nichi Nichi from the scene of the catastrophe in central Hokkaido.

There were three explosions, the eye-witness said, the last of which, releasing the lake which had lain for years in the crater, let loose the destructive torrent. Villagers living on the slopes fled shrieking, but many were caught in the flood and drowned or buried beneath the flowing mud and lava.

**137 Bodies Recovered**

A report from Sapporo, capital of Hokkaido, said that 137 bodies have been recovered, but this still lacks official verification.

A dispatch to The Kokumin from Asahigawa, near Mount Tockachi, says that forty school children are missing, and that they are believed to have been caught in the flood when returning from school.

The Asashi reports that 100 residents of the village of Kamifurano lost their lives and that their village was almost completely destroyed.

Additional troops and Red Cross workers are arriving on the scene, giving aid to the injured and homeless and digging in the mud for bodies.

**Thousand Missing**

The governor of Hokkaido has reported to the Home Minister that 100 dead and more than 200 injured had been removed from the mass of mud, lava and rocks precipitated from the long slumbering crater. Besides these, about 1,000 farmers of the newly-opened but rapidly developing agricultural district around the mountain are missing and it is impossible to tell how many of these may have been buried alive in the floods of water and mud.

The peasants of the Tokachi district were not without warning, for on May 4 the moribund volcano began rumbling and many fled the region. Monday came three violent explosions, tearing out the crater walls and allowing the lake to pour through the sides of the mountain, inundating several villages, drowning villagers and covering 10,000 acres of rice fields with mud. Landslides on the steep slopes added to the toll of destruction.

**Relief Organized**

Relief measures are under way. Two hundred doctors and nurses are attending the injured while 800 members of the local Young Men's Association, a nation-wide organization, are assisting.

Two miles of the Kushiro railway, running west of the mountain, have been destroyed.

Hokkaido dispatches describe the region of the catastrophe as literally a sea of mud.

Mount Tokachi is one of the highest peaks of a volcanic chain running through Hokkaido Island, most of the peaks of which are known as "dying volcanoes of Yezo" or Hokkaido.

## AUTO THEFT LIKENED TO ORCHARD STEALING

**Attorney's Plea Makes No Impression on Judge—Court Recalls Treatment Given Horse Thieves**

SEATTLE, May 25.—An attorney's plea that youths of today steal automobiles in the same spirit in which their fathers stole watermelons and apples, failed to keep William Stearns, of Vista, Cal., a University of Washington freshman, out of a reformatory here today.

"The natural exuberance of youth must have an outlet," counsel argued. "Where are the watermelon patches and apple orchards of yesteryear, which your honor remembers so well? Youth will have its thrill, the same old thrill which your honor, perhaps—"

"My recollection," the court interrupted, "is that horse stealing was considered an offence so serious that the thief was lucky if the law got him before the vigilance committee did."

Stearns, who was arrested last month after police found him stripping an automobile of its accessories, was sentenced to six months to three years in Monroe Reformatory.

### *Red Cross Conference Opens in Washington*

WASHINGTON, May 25.—With delegates from South and Central American countries, as well as Mexico and Canada in attendance, the second pan-American Red Cross conference opened here today. Sessions will continue until June 5 and are expected to be attended from time to time by representatives of practically all the fifty-four member nations of the League of Red Cross Societies.

### *Mr. Grant Hall Is Here Inspecting C.P.R. Lines in West*

MR. GRANT HALL

On a periodical inspection of the Western lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Mr. Grant Hall, vice-president, Montreal, accompanied by a party of friends, reached Victoria yesterday afternoon. Mr. Hall is accompanied by Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president, in charge of the Western lines of the company, Mr. F. P. Cowans, of Montreal, Messrs. G. M. Black, H. B. Shaw and S. L. Cork, of Winnipeg. Mr. Coleman and Mr. Cork crossed by the night boat, the remaining members coming over on the Princess Alice yesterday afternoon. The party paid a visit on its way West, by way of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway, to the Sullivan Mine at Kimberley, the Bonnington Power Plant and also the Consolidated Company's smelter at Trail, B.C. The intention of the party is to leave this evening for the Mainland, returning East by way of Calgary, Edmonton and Saskatoon.

### *Wrecked Freight Blocks Gov.-General's Train*

EDMONTON, May 25.—Derailment of sixteen cars of lumber of an eastbound Canadian National freight train between Landis and Carvell, east of here, is holding up the special train of Baron Byng and party tonight. His Excellency is due to arrive in Saskatoon tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock and it is hoped to have the track cleared so as not to clash with the Governor-General's schedule. No one was hurt when the cars left the rails.

## ROUND-GLOBE FLYER ARRIVES IN LONDON

### SPEEDS BY PLANE FROM BRITISH CAPITAL TO BERLIN AND MOSCOW

**Time Lost in Britain on Account of Fog—Forced to Take Train From Plymouth to Croydon**

By JOHN GOLDSTROM

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CROYDON FLYING FIELD, London, May 25.—In a few minutes I will step aboard the regular two o'clock passenger airplane flying from here to Berlin. Although I missed the planes flying at 8.30 this morning, because of heavy fog which prevented my flying from Plymouth to this plane, the delay will have no permanent effect on my schedule. I should arrive in Berlin at seven this evening, with plenty of time to catch the Moscow plane I had planned to take at two o'clock tomorrow morning.

Captain Boston, of the Mauretania, proved much better than his word this morning, when he dropped anchor in Plymouth harbor at 4.56. Through your correspondent's arrangements I was able to leave the boat twenty-five minutes later.

Tonight at seven o'clock I will have covered about 3,800 miles of my 18,500-mile journey and will have used only two hours of my seventh day. This will bring my daily average well above 600 miles, seventy miles a day more than required to complete the trip in thirty-five days.

### *France to Form Body Of Financial Experts To Stabilize Exchange*

PARIS, May 25.—The creation of a committee of financial experts in order to co-ordinate efforts for bettering the position of the franc on the exchange market was agreed upon by Premier Briand and M. Peret, the Finance Minister, in the course of a conference today. The plan, says an official note, will be submitted at a ministerial council in the near future.

### *28 Soldiers Charged With Murder and Robbery*

MANILA, May 25.—Twenty-eight soldiers of the Philippine constabulary have been arrested by the civil authorities and charged with murder and robbery as the result of rioting Sunday night at San Fernando, Pampanga province, Luzon, in which four persons were killed and nineteen wounded. The rioting started from a dance hall fight.

### *Conservative Leader Resumes House Seat*

OTTAWA, May 25.—Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader, resumed his seat in the House of Commons this afternoon after an absence of two weeks through illness.

## *Strike Views Cause Split Among Chiefs Of British Liberals*

### Lord Oxford Calls Mr. Lloyd George Over Coals for American Press Articles and Refusal to Attend Party Conference — Impossible to Reconcile Actions With Political Comradeship

### Welshman Calls Letter Provocative; Suggests General Party Conference

LONDON, May 25.—The newspapers tomorrow will publish correspondence of a very unusual kind between the Earl of Oxford and Asquith, who was Premier from 1908 to 1916, and David Lloyd George, Premier from 1916 to 1922. The correspondence arises out of Lloyd George's attitude in the recent general strike.

Addressing Lloyd George, Lord Oxford says:

"I should not be doing my duty as leader of the Liberal party if I did not convey to you my regret at the course you have pursued in the greatest democratic crisis the country has had to confront in your time or mine."

After a long explanation in justification of the policy adopted by himself, Viscount Grey and Sir John Simon, other prominent Liberals, toward the strike, Lord Oxford alludes to Lloyd George's refusal to attend the meeting of the Liberal leaders on May 10 to discuss the policy of the party with relation to the strike.

**Complains of Press Articles**

"I regard this as a grave matter," the letter continues. "We had reached a most critical moment of the strike, when it was the primary duty of all responsible for the Liberal policy, and certainly of the chairman of the parliamentary party in the House of Commons (Lloyd George) to meet together for full and free discussion. Your refusal to do so I find impossible to reconcile with my conception of the obligations of political comradeship.

Lord Oxford then proceeds to complain about Lloyd George's article to the American press, concerning which he writes:

"I cannot but deplore such a representation of the case should have been offered to the outside world on the authority of an ex-Prime Minister of Great Britain and a chairman of the Liberal parliamentary party.

"It gives me no real pleasure to have to write this letter, as you will know it is not dictated by personal feelings."

**Mr. George Thinks It Over**

Mr. Lloyd George sent a brief answer immediately, saying:

"I appreciate fully the gravity of the unprecedented letter you have written me and as my decision must affect seriously the fortunes of our party, and add to its distractions, I propose to take two or three days to consider and consult before I reply."

Accordingly three days later Mr. Lloyd George sent Lord Oxford a very long reply, going into much detail as justification for his attitude. This lengthy communication was intended for the ears of Liberals at home. His argument is that nobody at an important Liberal council, held when the general strike was imminent, had suggested that unconditional surrender of the strikers should precede resumption of negotiations and he contends that he never deviated from this position.

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### *City's Float Will Take Part in Great Vancouver Parade*

THE City of Victoria will be represented in the Dominion Day parade in Vancouver on July 1 next.

This became known last night, when the City Council decided that the city float would be sent to the Terminal City for the annual festivities there. It is estimated the cost of the project will be $100.

Members of the Council thought that Victoria should participate in the celebration in Vancouver, particularly in view of the fine representation from the Mainland in the annual May 24 procession here this week.

## RIOTS BREAK OUT IN POLISH CITIES

### CLASHES OCCUR BETWEEN POLITICAL PARTIES—RESTIVENESS CAUSES ALARM

**Score, Including Three Policemen, Injured in Lemberg Fight—Constables Use Clubs**

WARSAW, May 25.—Clashes between the Right and Left parties, with bloodshed in some cases, are reported from the various Provinces in connection with political meetings preparatory to the National Assembly, which is to meet next week for the purpose of electing a president of the republic.

Despite the demand of the War Minister of the interim cabinet, set up after Marshal Pilsudski succeeded in overthrowing the Government of President Wojchtechowski, that the civilians give up the arms furnished to volunteers during the revolution, more than 3,000 rifles are still in the hands of civilians, causing the Government anxiety.

It is reported from Lemberg that street rioting followed outdoor meetings today of the Socialists and National Democrats, the police having to use their clubs to restore order. A score of persons were injured, including three policemen.

Marshal Pilsudski, in his first joint interview with American newspapermen today, declared that he would demand that Parliament revise more than 200 laws and unify the whole code of Polish law, to untangle the endless governmental red tape and wipe out the bureaucracy which hampered the national development. Poland's foreign policy and the general principles of domestic administration, he added, would undergo no change.

## NOVA SCOTIAN WINS SHORT STORY PRIZE

**I.O.D.E. Announces Competition Result—Patsy Grimmond, Victoria, Takes Award**

TORONTO, May 25.—V. B. Rhondetzer, of Wolfville, N.S., is the winner of the short story competition of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, carrying a prize of $200, with a story called, "The Years Between."

Isabel Ecclestone Mackay, of Vancouver, won the one-act play competition for the Blanche MacIntosh prize with a play called "Treasury."

B. A. Fry, South Fort George, B.C., was awarded first place in the Christmas card competition for a $100 prize.

The first prize in the competition for boys and girls under thirteen for an essay on "Favorite British Hero," was won by Leslie Mullett, Edmonton, the second prize was divided between Patsy Grimmond, Victoria, and Marjorie Everett, Fredericton, and the third prize was divided between Hattie Rowbottam, Regina, and Barbara Dean, Quebec.

### *Aviator, Bound Tokio, Reaches Warsaw Safely*

PARIS, May 25.—The Air Ministry announced late tonight that Captain George Pelletier Doisy, who left Villacoublay airdrome, near Paris, this morning, on a flight to Tokio, arrived at Warsaw, Poland, at 5.15 o'clock this morning. The distance from Paris to Warsaw is nearly 900 miles.

## EDUCATIONISTS COMING TO CITY

### SECOND TRANSCANADA TOUR PARTY WILL BE HERE ON JULY 13-14

**Visitors to Study Conditions at First Hand—City Council Debates Form of Reception**

The second Transcanada Educational Tour, conducted under the auspices of the University of Montreal, will be held this year, and the Eastern visitors will come to Victoria on Tuesday morning, July 13, and remain here until Wednesday afternoon following.

These tours are organized with a view to enabling a certain number of professors and graduates of the University of Montreal, as well as prominent people of the Province of Quebec, to get better acquainted with the people of the other provinces, and obtain a true conception of the breadth of this Dominion and first-hand knowledge of its potentialities.

Canon Emile Chartier, Vice-Rector of the University of Montreal and director of the tour, advised the City Council last night that those on last year's educational tour here enjoyed their welcome in Victoria greatly and had arranged the 1926 expedition so as to again sojourn in this city. He wrote that any suggestions the City Council felt like offering to facilitate the pursuit of the tour's object during the visit here would be much appreciated.

Ald. Dewar suggested that the communication be referred to the civic reception committee.

**Show Visitors Industries**

That the visit of the Easterners would be a splendid opportunity to acquaint them with the industrial possibilities of this city was the view of Ald. Holmes. He observed that Victoria per capita showed up exceedingly well in the matter of industrial development with other cities. He suggested that the visitors be shown the new drydock at Esquimalt and Yarrows' plant, convincing them that the money expended by the Dominion Government on the Esquimalt dockyard had been well spent. He considered that it would be a fine chance to remove a certain amount of sectionalism which existed, the East against the West.

Ald. Cleaver considered that a policy in regard to reception of visit-

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## Miss Evangeline Booth Now Out of Danger

NEW YORK, May 25.—The acute symptoms in the condition of Miss Evangeline Booth, national commander of the Salvation Army, who is ill at her home near White Plains, have passed and she is no longer in immediate danger, it was announced by her physician, Dr. W. C. Tilden.

## TWENTY-FIVE DEAD IN TRAIN SMASH

**Passenger Coaches Telescoped in Collision Which Occurred at Station in Munich**

MUNICH, Bavaria, May 25.—Twenty-five persons were killed and many injured today in the East station when a passenger train ran into another train standing in the station. Several cars of the standing train were telescoped. The accident was due to the moving train failing to stop at the point where it should have come to a standstill. Fire brigades and first aid organizations worked all night extricating the victims. The latest official report early this afternoon stated that twenty-five persons were killed and eighty-three injured, many of them badly.

The engineer of the passenger train says he had no warning of the standing train in front of him, but railway officials declare the signals were properly set. Representatives of the Berlin Railways Department are conducting an investigation.

## *American Naval Airman Indicted by Grand Jury*

SEATTLE, May 25.—Lieut.-Commander James Hale Strong, United States Navy, who last year unsuccessfully attempted to fly from the United States to Hawaii in an airplane called the PB-1, is charged with liquor conspiracy in a Federal grand jury indictment, a warrant on which was returned unserved in district court here today.

United States Marshal E. B. Henn reported Strong unfound. The aviator is in San Diego, Cal., with the aircraft squadron of the Pacific Coast fleet.

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Beef Hearts, Today 25c
Cooked Tripe, Today, lb. 10c

## UNSIGHTLY HOUSES SHOULD BE REMOVED

**Victoria Would Be More Beautiful If Action Taken, Dr. A. G. Price States in Report**

That there are still a great many more unsightly houses, the removal of which will greatly enhance the beauty of Victoria, is expressed in a report of Dr. A. G. Price, city health officer, filed with the City Council members yesterday, in which he recommends proceeding with the policy of removing dilapidated and insanitary buildings.

The extent of inspections by the City Health Department is noted by the fact that eighty notices have been served on owners and occupiers to comply with health and sanitary regulations.

There were 445 vessels met on arrival at the wharf and health regulations enforced.

The sea beaches have received the necessary supervision and have been kept free from insanitary matter.

**Cost of Contributions**

The cost of contributions to the various institutions, the report shows, is as follows: Jubilee Hospital, $39,000; St. Joseph's, $5,190; Isolation, $15,117; Provincial Laboratory, $4,000; Maple Rest Home, $4,597, making a total, with the cost of the Board of Health ($16,374), of $84,279. The revenue totaled $6,001, made up of $5,739, Isolation Hospital fees, and balance, fumigation charges. It will thus be seen that the Isolation Hospital is supported two-thirds by the city and one-third by patients.

Vital statistics shown by Dr. Price revealed that the birth rate per 1,000 was 18.9 last year, the death rate 11.2 and marriage rate 10.3. It is significant that the death rate has been brought down 1 per 1,000 in the last four years.

In his professional position as doctor the health officer attended 680 patients at his office, performed 639 vaccinations, examined 753 children at the clinic, paid 167 visits to patients at their homes, made 232 visits to hospitals and homes visited on 31 occasions the city jail, and certified that 12 persons were insane.

**T.B. Situation Improves**

The tuberculosis situation shows an improvement, the percentage of deaths having fallen from 7.2 to 6.6. Infectious diseases show a decline, the lowest for several years, the total being 337 cases in 1925, as compared with 494 in the previous year.

Just to show how an epidemic affects statistics of health, it may be stated that in 1923 of the 1,177 infectious cases reported 924 were of measles, while in 1922 of 553 infectious disease reported 266 were influenza cases.

The decrease in zymotic diseases is a striking tribute to the health of the city.

## C.N.R. PROGRESSING, DECLARES MINISTER

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4. Definite proposals expected during current year for placing of company's finances upon sound and permanent basis. Object sought is "a capital structure reasonably commensurate with the earning prospects of the company.

"What is desired," added Mr. Dunning, "is a capital structure that will simplify financial and accounting practice with consequent saving of expenditures, and which will also ease the burden imposed on the Canadian National system by inheritance from private ownership.

**Debt Problem Great**

"It may well be questioned whether it is humanly possible for any railway management to make good the frantic borrowings which overwhelmed the former owners."

Later, however, Mr. Dunning said: "We must not forget that when we come to the consideration of railway rates and capitalization, that there is relationship one with the other. Call it what you may, there would be no object in writing down, or writing off, or suspending obligations due the Government, if at the same time, we force upon railways an uneconomic structure so far as the Canadian National is concerned, which would result in the piling up of fresh charges of Government account, later to be similarly written off."

Mr. Dunning reiterated the Canadian position in regard to Grand Trunk Pacific debentures. He outlined assistance given to the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific. He attributed criticism of the Government's attitude toward Grand Trunk Pacific four per cent debenture holders to lack of information.

**Mr. Meighen Critical**

Debate followed Mr. Dunning's statement.

It was late in the evening when Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Opposition leader, joined in the discussion. He recognized that there had been a pretty general improvement since 1919. But the present Government had merely adopted the policy of its predecessor in amalgamating 1½ roads into the Canadian National system. Furthermore, while all were glad to see signs of improvement, "we do not want to be deceived merely by appearances."

He analyzed Canadian National borrowings to show that in 1925 the country had really gone into debt another $35,000,000.

"And" observed Mr. Meighen, "we are so proud of the accomplishment of being $35,000,000 more in debt that we throw our hats in the air, kill the fatted calf, place an order with the liquor commission and reduce our taxes."

Following Mr. Meighen's speech the Canadian National estimates were referred to the special committee.

"Given reasonably good harvests and freedom from traffic losses due to difficulties, it may be possible for the National Railways this year to meet their entire interest charges due the public," said Mr. Dunning. "This, needless to say, would constitute a remarkable and welcome achievement.

**Six Years of Experience**

"It is now six years since the Government became responsible for Grand Trunk financing, and while the reorganization and consolidation of the National system did not take place until late in 1922, we have a six-year background from which to judge of the progress made by the railways towards recovery from the difficulties which proved too much for private ownership.

"There are several ways in which progress may be noted. It is four years now since there was an operating deficit. In 1920 the operating deficit was $34,000,000. In 1925 there was an operating surplus of $32,000,000. The extreme swing between the operating deficit of 1920 and the operating surplus of 1925 was $66,000,000, or an average improvement over the period of $11,000,000 a year."

**Progressive Gains**

A very hopeful feature also of our railway situation is the fact that the annual increase in earnings in recent years has been greatly in excess of the annual increase in fixed charges. While, as stated, the total of the annual increase in operating earnings during the last six years was $66,000,000, the total of the annual increase in fixed charges over that period was but $26,000,000, or $40,000,000 less.

"A year ago Parliament was asked to provide $50,000,000 to meet expenditures made and indebtedness incurred by the National Railways during 1925-1926. At that time the immediate outlook for the railways was not very bright. It transpired, however, that of the $50,000,000 voted a year ago, only $10,000,000 was required of the Government, and there were no bond issues, either guaranteed or otherwise. This improved state of affairs appears to have been made possible by a number of circumstances. The railway was itself able to provide eighty per cent of the interest requirements due the public. That supplied the chief reduction in the estimated requirements. Nothing, perhaps, could be more indicative of the rapidly improving position of the National lines than the fact that a Minister of Railways finds it necessary to explain why $40,000,000 voted was not required to be forthcoming. It is a very much more agreeable task than would have been the necessity to explain why the railways had required $40,000,000 more than had been estimated.

**Budget Details**

"The budget amount required for the present fiscal year, 1926-27, is $31,000,000, distributed as follows:

"Interest on funded and other debt of $36,540,598.34.

"Grand Trunk Pacific guaranteed interest $1,108,000.

"Sinking fund payments $165,133.33.

"Equipment principal payments $7,397,400.

"G.T.R. 4 per cent guaranteed stock $2,433,333.33.

"Retirement of capital obligations $808,000.

"Total financial requirements $48,452,545; less resources $34,379,829; net financial requirements $14,072,716.

"General additions, betterments, including: New equipment $15,727,284; discount, on securities to be issued $1,200,000.

"Total estimate $31,000,000.

"The gross capital expenditure proposed is $19,127,284, including the Central Vermont Railway. Retirements recoverable through operating accounts reduce the figure to $15,727,284.

**Road Improvements**

"This year's vote is intended to provide for the following:

"Betterments to roads $13,047,211; new equipment $1,325,000; betterments to equipment $1,500,000; commercial telegraphs and express $750,000; electric lines $795,000; hotels $356,100; miscellaneous $637,013; Central Vermont Railway $736,760; gross capital expenditure $19,127,284; less retirements recoverable through operating accounts $3,400,000.

"Net increase in investments account $15,727,284."

Dealing with the capitalization of the C.N.R., Mr. Dunning said:

**Capitalization Plans**

"Call it what you may, there would be no object in writing down, or writing off or suspending obligations due the Government if at the same time we should force upon the railways an uneconomic structure, that so far as the Canadian National is concerned, would result in the piling up of fresh charges on Government account, later to be similarly written off.

"The president informs us a searching examination of the company's financial structure has been under way the last year, and it is expected that, during the current year, definite proposals, having for their object the placing of the company's finances upon a sound and permanent basis, will be presented.

"The task of simplifying and consolidating the variety of obligations outstanding and of reducing varying financial practices to a uniform basis present difficulties.

"What is desired is a capital structure which will simplify financial and accounting practice, with consequent saving of expenditures, and which will abolish the burden imposed on the Canadian National system by inheritance from private ownership. It may well be questioned whether it is humanly possible for any railway management to make good the frantic borrowings which overwhelmed the former owners."

## *City Makes Formal Request for Survey Of Earwig Areas*

THE recommendation of the Parks and Boulevards Committee that a formal request be made to the Dominion Entomologist at Ottawa for a survey of the areas infested with earwigs in Victoria, and further that 5,000 copies of notices to householders, drawing attention to the obnoxious insect pests and stating that the city will bait all gardens and lots within the infected areas, be printed for distribution, was adopted by the City Council last night.

Alderman Woodward doubted very much if the earwigs in the city were as dangerous and as numerous as it had been asserted was the case.

That Vancouver had already spent $9,500 in its campaign against earwigs to date, and the sum might near the $20,000 mark there before the drive was concluded, was the statement of Alderman Marchant, in urging immediate action here.

Mayor Pendray said that no delay should be made here in a campaign against earwigs, and if the pests were not tackled at once the cost of doing so later would prove much greater.

## LEAGUE TO ASK POWERS HOW FAR THEY CAN GO FOR REDUCING WAR FORCE

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the committee requested the experts to consider what effective penalties could be proposed for enforcement of undertakings not to resort to gas and bacteria warfare.

Discussion of the committee's report will begin tomorrow.

**Germany Causes Sensation**

Germany intervened sensationally at today's meeting of the commission when Count von Bernstorff made sharp allusion to the fact that Germany's neighbors were not yet disarmed.

He insisted that the measures proposed by France to strengthen the League of Nations covenant and speed assistance to any attacked nation should be based not only on the present excessive armaments of Europe, but on the reduced scale of armaments which everybody hoped the eventual international conference would bring to the world. He emphasized that, although Germany is regarded "morally as a member of the League," she cannot yet have a voice in the League council to which M. Paul Boncour's project for reinforcing the covenants has been referred.

Hence the German spokesman said he wanted to register the opinion now that future disarmaments should be of such nature as to prevent any one nation possessing military strength greater than that at the disposal of the League of Nations.

"Each of the states," he said, "should have sufficient forces so that the League will be able at all times to impose its will."

**Russia to Keep Silent**

GENEVA, May 25.—Russia has notified the League of Nations that she will refuse to give views requested on questions touching on the control of the private manufacture of arms.

The League hopes to convoke a conference in the near future to deal with this subject.

## STRIKE VIEWS CAUSE SPLIT AMONG CHIEFS OF BRITISH LIBERALS

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Declaring there was no discourtesy to Lord Oxford in his refusal to attend the party meeting, he says: "My failure to attend hardly justified so provocative a document as you have addressed to one of your colleagues."

**Press Articles Misrepresented**

As regards the American article, Mr. Lloyd George suggests that Lord Oxford has been influenced by garbled extracts printed in England, where he was misrepresented to the point of inventing sentences he never wrote.

"You complain that I predict a prolonged strike unless the public and Parliament intervene," the letter continues. "Are you sure the industrial struggle even now will not be prolonged unless 'Parliament takes a hand,' as I put it? It is true I assumed the trades union council would stand by the miners to the end. There I miscalculated, but was it so outrageous an assumption as to deserve censures?"

Saying that if there is to be a schism in the party, he would like to know what it is all about, Lloyd George declares he is prepared to meet Lord Oxford and the rest of his colleagues to discuss the whole position if it is thought such a discussion should be held."

## EDUCATIONISTS COMING TO CITY

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ing bodies should be shaped. In the past, small grants had been given to institutions which provided entertainment for visitors. Now it was suggested that the city undertake this itself. If the Council did not take a definite stand on the matter, it would likely be the recipient of all kinds of applications to entertain delegations coming here from various parts of the continent.

**Thinks Matter for Bureau**

That the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau should handle the entertainment of the members on the University of Montreal tour was the opinion of Ald. Mara.

"We can't fix a hard-and-fast policy on this question, but should consider such visits on their merits as they come along. I think we should leave this business in the hands of the Mayor," Ald. Harvey declared.

Ald. Woodward considered that the city should provide such a form of entertainment for their visitors that they would go away with a fine impression of Victoria and the hospitality of its people. He believed that such a policy was a splendid form of publicity for the city. He suggested that in the near future the Council consider a proposal to call for tenders at the first of each year for rates to take visitors around the city. By doing so he thought the city could secure cheaper rates and save quite a lot of money.

**Ascertain How Many Coming**

Mayor Pendray averred that the city should ascertain how many were coming on the University of Montreal tour.

"The Victoria Teachers' Association handled the entertainment of the big delegation of teachers who visited Victoria last year. I suggest that they be invited to receive the Montreal University party. I do not think that the city should act as a bureau to entertain tourists," Ald. Cleeribue declared.

Ald. Woodward differed with his colleague, saying that "I think that it is better for the City of Victoria to do the entertaining and get the credit for it, than give grants to institutions and have them do the work. It is greater prestige for visitors to be guests of the City of Victoria than one of its organizations."

"Has the finance committee considered this matter?" was the query of Ald. Marchant, the Mayor answering that it had not.

On the motion of Ald. Woodward, the communication was referred to the finance committee for report and recommendation to the Council.

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# SCOUT LEADER OPENS PARK AT CALGARY

**Three Prominent Visitors Are Expected Here in Course of Next Seven Days**

A number of interesting personalities are due to visit the city in the course of the next few days. Mr. Robert A. O'Brien is to be here on Friday in the interests of the Overseas League, and will be the speaker at a dinner at the Chamber of Commerce.

On the same day passengers on board the liner Niagara are expected to include Dr. John R. Mott, International secretary of the Y.M.C.A. movement.

On Monday Sir Alfred Pickford, Bart., Overseas and Scouts Migration Commissioner of the Boy Scouts' Association, is due, and will be entertained here.

In connection with Sir Alfred's tour he had an interesting duty at Calgary on Sunday, when he formally transferred, on behalf of the Boy Scouts' Association of Calgary, to Mayor Webster for the city, the Hayes Park located on a small island in the Elbow River at Mission Bridge. The park is named from the late Roger Hayes, through whose efforts the plan of the park developed, and the land has been cleared up by the Scouts themselves. The small island has been fitted up with rustic seats by the members of the Tenth Calgary Troop.

# QUESTION OF LAW WILL BE ARGUED

**FURTHER APPLICATION INDICATED IN PERJURY CHARGE BEFORE GOING TO TRIAL**

**Writ of Prohibition Will Seek to Restrain Magistrate Following Customary Procedure**

Mr. John R. Green was formally committed for trial by a higher court on a charge of perjury at the end of the police court hearing, Magistrate Jay signing the warrant of commitment yesterday afternoon.

Bail in the sum of $5,000 was later granted the accused by Judge McIntosh in the County Court, with Mr. John Arbuthnot and Mr. D. O. Cameron as bondsmen.

**Seeks Writ of Prohibition**

After Magistrate Jay announced his decision to commit the accused for trial, Mr. D. S. Tait, counsel for the defence, served notice of motion for a writ of prohibition to restrain His Honor from signing the warrant of commitment. Alleged bias on the part of the court, and insufficiency of evidence to support the charge of perjury, are the grounds set forth in the application.

It is expected that ten days must pass before the transcript of evidence of the police court hearing is ready for submission in the course of the application for the writ. Argument on the application will be made before a judge of the Supreme Court.

The evidence of Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., who has acted as counsel for Mr. Green until yesterday, ended the submission of testimony for the defence.

**Three Salient Factors**

In announcing his decision to commit the accused for trial Magistrate Jay said that out of the mass of evidence adduced in the course of the hearing appeared three features: that the accused acted as solicitor for the Cobble Hill Logging Company at certain periods; that he was a large creditor of the company; and that he at least purported to act as a director of the company.

These three relationships between Mr. Green and the company were so involved, so interwoven, said His Honor, that it was difficult to say in just what capacity the accused had been acting.

"If I were to undertake to decide here whether or not the evidence disclosed would support an indictment for perjury, I should be assuming the functions of a trial judge," Magistrate Jay declared.

He had already held, he added, that there was a case for the accused to meet, and the evidence for the defence had not been such as to lead him to alter that view. The accused therefore would be committed for trial.

When the session of the court opened Mr. Tait intimated the possibility of serving notice for a writ of prohibition should His Honor decide to commit the accused for trial. He felt, however, that the evidence of Mr. Higgins, which would be offered with the reservation of all rights, would be such as to preclude such a decision.

"That is like holding a gun at the head of Your Honor," exclaimed Mr. C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor.

Mr. Tait said that the writ had been prepared and added that his learned friend had no justification for such a comment.

**Evidence of Mr. Higgins**

Mr. Higgins testified that he acted as counsel for Mr. Green in the case of MacEwan vs. Green, in the hearing of which the accused was alleged to have committed a perjury. Witness said that he thoroughly examined the books and documents of the company. He had seen that the accused signed some documents with the word "pro" before "director" and some without the word. He came to the conclusion that Mr. Green was not a director of the Cobble Hill Logging Company but merely solicitor for the concern.

In the action of MacEwan vs. Green, the accused was sued, personally, for a sum of money. If he, witness, had been able to show that Mr. Green was a director or officer of the company, there would have been grounds for such a suit against the company but not for one against Mr. Green personally. But recognizing the facts, witness abandoned such a line of defence, knowing that Mr. Green was only a solicitor for the company.

Mr. Higgins was closely cross-examined by Mr. Harrison as to the nature of the documents shown the witness by Mr. Green while the former was considering the latter's position with regard to the Cobble Hill Logging Company.

Mr. Harrison produced a letter which was sent to Walter E. Shepherd, star witness for the prosecution, who told the information against the accused. Mr. Harrison asked witness whether he knew anything about the letter which advised Shepherd to leave town. Witness said he knew nothing about it.

Witness was asked whether he knew, before the hearing of the MacEwan vs. Green trial that the accused had not obtained the sum of money at issue as a director of the company. Mr. Higgins said he knew that.

**Many Points of Law**

Addressing the court, Mr. Tait submitted that there were no grounds for committing the accused for trial. There were a dozen points of law which should preclude a committal. The Crown placed in evidence the returns of the Cobble Hill Logging Company to the Registrar of Companies, the minutes of meetings of the company, the articles of incorporation, and the share certificate book, all of which showed that Mr. Green was not a director or shareholder of the company. In face of all that, it was futile for the Crown to present evidence purporting to show that Mr. Green was a director and that he had falsely sworn that he was not.

If the case were the converse, if Mr. Green had sworn that he was a director of the company then he would indeed have stood in danger of a charge of perjury. Referring to the alleged statements of Mr. Green in the course of the MacEwan vs. Green trial, Mr. Tait said:

"The statements made by Mr. Green are, in fact, literally true. The Crown cannot overcome that fact."

Referring to the Companies Act, counsel for the defence, said that, under Section 68c, a director of a company was required to resign before holding a salaried position with the company. Mr. Green, said counsel, was a paid solicitor of the Cobble Hill Logging Company and therefore was absolutely incompetent to hold the position of director.

**Knew of Position**

Mr. Tait further quoted sections of the act to establish that the accused could not have been a shareholder and director.

"I don't care how many letters Mr. Green wrote saying he was a director," said counsel. "I don't care if he wrote one every day—for, when he got into the box he could only have sworn that he was not."

Directors of companies were appointed or elected and the minutes of the company had been produced, and showed that Mr. Green was not a director. Mr. Green knew that he was a solicitor for the company and that he could not therefore be a director. In the course of the County Court trial he said that he was solicitor for the company. Later he said that he was not an officer of the company. This had betokened his knowledge of the nature of his position.

Under the Criminal Code it was necessary not only to prove that sworn statements were false, but also to prove that they were made with intent to mislead the court, wilfully and corruptly. But the Crown not only failed to prove that there was a perjury, it also failed to show that Mr. Green had had any intention to mislead the court. If Mr. Green could be able to say in the MacEwan vs. Green trial that he was an officer of the company, he could have escaped the suit against him, the company becoming the defendant instead.

As to the allegation of perjury in that Mr. Green was said to have sworn that he acted in no other capacity than as a solicitor for the company, the court stenographer's transcript on this point was in a "very doubtful condition," said counsel, maintaining that the accused had been referring to proceedings involved in the MacEwan vs. Green trial and not to the Cobble Hill Logging Company.

The law held that if a person were asked a general question the general answer to which involved a falsehood, before perjury could be held against him that person would have to be asked time, place and circumstance. If the general question had been asked Mr. Green, "Did you ever purport to act as a director?" he could not have been held guilty of perjury.

Mr. Green's evidence was given under professional advice, and it could not therefore have given grounds for perjury. If there were errors in the stenographer's transcript no perjury could be assigned in connection with the trial.

He was confident, Mr. Tait said, that the court would hold that there were no grounds on which to commit the accused for trial.

**An Unpleasant Duty**

Mr. Harrison regretted that he must address the court on "this unpleasant case" again. Still, it was his duty to do so, and he would have to go on. He was not going to deal with the points of law raised by counsel for the defence, because they had been dealt with on a previous occasion.

It was true that there were certain things at fault with the court stenographer's transcript, but they amounted to nothing and did not affect the matter at issue. Mr. Langley, a stenographer himself, had admitted that there might be certain characters meaningless to him, but intelligible to Miss Unwin.

Mr. Harrison referred to Judge Lampman's notes of the MacEwan vs. Green trial to show that the court had been misled by Mr. Green's statements. The learned judge, he said, had made "an emphatic note" to the effect that Mr. Green had no interest in the company. This evidence was inadmissible, Mr. Tait declared.

Mr. Harrison briefly reviewed the evidence the Crown adduced in the effort to show that the accused acted for the company in a capacity other than as a director.

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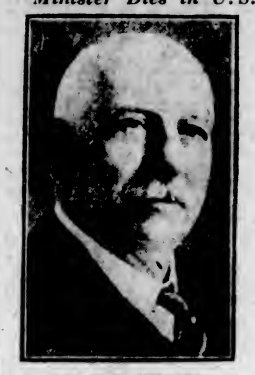

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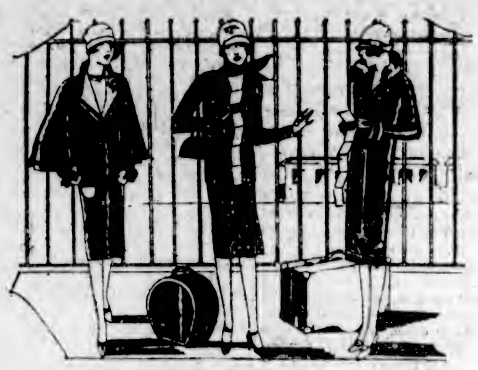

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**Alaskan Flying Ace Returns From White Horse After Making Rush Flight With Photographs**

DAWSON, Y.T., May 25.—Aviator Bennett, of Fairbanks, flying ace of Alaska, returned here Monday from White Horse after delivering to Ed. Young for transportation to Skagway by airplane, films of the dirigible Norge and the Amundsen North Pole party, which he had carried from Teller, Alaska, in an effort to deliver them in the United States ahead of rival films, also speeding by air route for the outside from the Alaska village, in what is claimed to be the greatest flying race in the history of the North.

Bennett arrived here en route to White Horse last Thursday. He remained overnight and continued his journey on Friday. On his way back he picked up Miss Pauline White, school teacher at Selkirk, 180 miles south of Dawson, and brought her to her home here.

Bennett left this morning for his home in Fairbanks.


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## CONSERVATIVE POLICIES

At the meeting of the Provincial Conservative executive to be held in Vancouver this week it is to be hoped that there will be a definite course of action outlined for the future movement and organization of the Party. It is being strongly urged from all parts of the Province that a Convention should be held without any further delay, that the executive of the Party should only hold office from year to year, and that the programme, or platform, should be redefined and recast in the light of the latest developments. There is the question of leadership, too, to be put beyond all possibility of cavil or doubt, and by this we mean that it is essential to the fortunes of the Conservative Party in provincial politics that it should have the same leader in the Legislature as throughout the country. A Provincial Convention is the only authority which can bring about this condition.

The present executive is being informed that there is a widespread demand for the summoning of a Provincial Convention this Summer. Action in this particular has been delayed too long. There is a unified process of organization for the Party that should be decided upon and a general summons to action desirable for the purpose of consolidating its strength. It is not enough just during the course of an election campaign for the people to learn what are the purposes and policies of the Conservatives in provincial affairs. Those purposes and those policies should be before the people all the time. These are the considerations which make it evident how necessary is the summoning of a Provincial Convention. The coming meeting of the executive should act decisively both for the good of the party and because such action is expected by the Conservatives throughout British Columbia.

## THE TARIFF ISSUE

Although the Government at Ottawa multiplies on its own head its congratulations on being able to maintain a majority in Parliament, beneath the scenes it is evident that there is a great deal of uneasiness. The apprehension that it will be necessary to hold an election this year is not allayed by the cast iron support that the Progressives are giving to Mr. Mackenzie King. On the contrary, the exactions in the way of legislation which the Progressives are demanding for their allegiance to Liberalism are bringing the Government more and more into disfavor and raising in more definite form and on more strictly defined lines the issue of the tariff. The Liberals would willingly eliminate the tariff from party political considerations but the condition of dependence of the present Government brings that issue all the time more sharply into relief. It is one which nothing can obscure when another election takes place. The press of the country realizes this and a very apt summary of the situation appears in The Sydney Post which says:

The struggle will not be, as some are persuaded to believe, a conflict between the East and the West. The West is as sharply divided over the tariff issue as the East, British Columbia is more strongly protectionist than Ontario. The preponderance of opinion in Manitoba favors an adequate protectionist tariff. The same is true of Calgary, Edmonton, and the mining districts of Alberta. The West, taken as a whole, is morally certain to divide about evenly in any electoral verdict on the tariff. It divided over reciprocity in 1911, and over the less sharply defined tariff issue in last year's election. There is no such thing as a solid West being lined up against a solid—or divided—East, except in imaginations which give no thought to past political events or present political conditions.

And it is obvious to everyone that Canada as a whole is more thoroughly protectionist today than it has ever been. Three Robb tariffs in succession have made it so. No one has any hope for the Nova Scotia steel or coal industry except through the imposition of adequately protective import duties. Nor can there be any real rehabilitation of economic conditions in the Maritimes till both those basic Nova Scotia industries are placed on a solid footing. General realization of these facts makes the outcome of any tariff election in the Maritimes a foregone conclusion.

## THE FLAG QUESTION

The question is being asked why Canada should not follow the example of South Africa and have a flag of her own. This is the desire of Mr. Mackenzie King who some time ago appointed a commission to hold a competition for a design. There was such an outburst against the suggestion that the commission never functioned. The matter was conveniently forgotten because the King Government was going to the people and the raising of a flag question would have proved an embarrassing one for the Liberals. Now that South Africa, or rather the Government of that country, has decided upon the design for a new flag, Canada is being asked to raise the question anew. Possibly it would be better to wait and see if the new South African flag is finally adopted. The Bill to provide for it has been postponed because there are protests from all quarters of the Union against any change from the Union Jack.

The new flag, which is satisfactory to the Hertzog Government, makes no provision for the design of the Union Jack. In the competition which Mr. Mackenzie King contemplated for a Canadian flag there was no stipulation that the Union Jack design should be included. That is what led to public opinion asserting itself, just as it is making itself felt in South Africa. It is not a question of prejudice that is evident in the desire that the Union Jack should be maintained. It is simply a matter of traditional pride and of historical association. It is, in fact, a matter of sentiment, and sentiment dies hard. In South Africa, no doubt, the attempt is being made to destroy this sentiment and there are those in Canada who would set about the same feat. If South Africa affords any example to this Dominion as to what its future course should be on the flag question it would be at least as well to await the ultimate fate of the Hertzog Flag Bill before reaching any decision.

## CIRCULATION OF SCRIPTURES

At the annual meeting of the British and Foreign Bible Society one of the outstanding facts made known was the increase in the issue of English Bibles. The figures for last year show that in no previous year were so many English Bibles sold. In all, 1,744,600 volumes of the Scriptures were circulated. The Society's total issues for last year reached the figure of 10,452,733. At the close of the first 25 years of this century the issues are more than double those announced for 1900. The reasons of the increases are given as the demands made by Christian enterprise overseas; the wholehearted participation of the Society in overseas missions. In regard to the latter cause it appears that China, despite her civil dissensions, took 385,700 volumes more in 1925 than in 1924. There was an increase of 40,000 in Japan for a similar period and increases also in the Malay Peninsula and the islands of the Archipelago. India accounted for an extra 60,000, and in Algeria and Tunis the circulation also increased, as well as in Spain and Portugal. In Russia, however, the Society reports that all its efforts have failed, but 75,000 Russian Testaments were distributed in Germany, Poland and elsewhere, and overseas Russian emigrants are welcoming the Scriptures in their own language. The Society issues the Scriptures in 579 languages.

## A KIWANIAN ENTERPRISE

Many youthful hearts in the community will be rejoicing today with the opening of the wading pool in Beacon Hill Park, a form of recreation that has been made possible in that locality through the enterprise and enthusiasm of the Kiwanis Club. The members of that club gave their time and labor to the pool, made the necessary excavation, constructed the cement tank, and, in addition, erected and painted a lath fence to shelter the children from passing motor cars. This was an exhibition of public-spiritedness which, now that the pool is to be used, will be keenly appreciated. The Kiwanians will have their reward in having added to the pleasure of the little ones, so many hundreds of whom find their recreations in Beacon Hill Park.

M. Radek who played a prominent part in bringing about the Soviet-German Treaty, says that Germany, in linking herself with "Soviet Russia's power and close friendship," has escaped Great Britain's efforts to harness her to the British chariot. The Treaty, he says, blunts the sting of Locarno. His concluding comment is: "When the moment of trial arrives the importance of the Russian market for German industry, the friendship of Germany's working masses for the Soviet Union and the Soviet military power will enable the Treaty to stand the test. It is therefore a great success for Soviet diplomacy and marks the failure of Great Britain's efforts to encircle Soviet Russia."

The idler a man is the more grievances he has. The shorter the hours of work he is employed the more jealousies arise in his heart of those who have not got to work at all. Mr. Richard Kearton in his new book, "A Naturalist's Pilgrimage," says: "The man to be pitied is he who lies down with malice and rises with hatred in his heart. I doubt if science has increased the total sum of human happiness. It is better to work than to brood. I have known few idle men without a grievance of some sort."

A decision of an Alberta Court that has aroused little interest is yet somewhat far reaching in its consequences. It is a judgment recently delivered by Mr. Justice Walsh at Calgary on the subject of dealings in grain futures in which he dismissed a claim made by grain brokers against a customer. The Judge laid it down that, "where people are trading in grain futures and neither party contemplates the actual delivery of grain, such transactions come within the gaming section of the Criminal Code of Canada."

## *Note and Comment*

By R. B. D.

Sir Philip Gibbs, most brilliant of war correspondents, is filled with forebodings about the future of Europe and is not particularly cheerful in his views about the future of the world. He enumerates the number of nations which have discarded the principles of democracy and adopted the expediency of dictatorship in their methods of government. Practically all the principal powers of Europe and two powers which are partly European and partly Asiatic, with the exception of Great Britain, France and Germany, have abandoned popular forms of government and acquiesced in the seizure of governing power by dictators.

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If the general strike in Great Britain had been successful that country would have been under a dictatorship, too—if not under the dictatorship of an individual, at least under the dictatorship of an organization or a class, something that our Communistic friends call "dictatorship of the proletariat." But even the proletariat must have leadership, and we assume that Mr. A. J. Cook, leader of the coal miners, who holds some kind of official position in the Third Internationale, and has accepted funds from the headquarters in Russia of that organization, would have been the dictator of Great Britain. That is an aspect of the general strike in Great Britain that was not generally understood until Sir Philip Gibbs called attention to it.

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However, the British general strike was not successful, and in Great Britain, for the time being at least, the democracy is safe. In his survey of the interesting political situation in Europe, Sir Philip Gibbs finds that on the whole the fall of democracy has not been altogether deplorable. The surveyor believes that while the situation in Russia would be intolerable to people who have been accustomed to political and individual liberty, it is not much worse than it was under the despotism of the Czars and that it may lead to the gradual adoption of a better system. There is no doubt that a dictatorship has saved Italy from social disorder, political chaos and economic disaster. Dictatorships have had precisely similar effects in Hungary, Turkey, Spain and in some of the chronically turbulent Balkan States. Poland has followed the example of her neighbors and has passed under a dictatorship. But Sir Philip Gibbs fears that the mania for the establishment of dictatorships in Europe has not yet finished its course. He says the conditions in France and Germany are by no means tranquil, that democracy has failed to give the people of those two nations sound, stable and progressive government, and that popular government may fall there and be succeeded by personal government.

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We wonder what President Wilson would say if he were alive today and beheld what is going on in the world he hoped to "make safe for democracy." If the spirit of the former President be at liberty to visit the scenes of political triumphs and tribulations of other days, which our spiritualistic friends tell us all good spirits are permitted to do, it might not find the democracy too firmly enthroned even in the United States. Democracy is traditionally believed to be the expression of the will of the people, and in a political sense the people can do no wrong thing. We have been reading in the newspapers about some of the later developments in democratic forms of government in some of the United States. There are no dictators in the United States, of course, but there are said to be "bosses." The "boss" of one of the Western States is charged with having judiciously distributed five million dollars for the purpose of influencing the primary elections in that State. The "boss" of an Eastern State is charged with having judiciously distributed two million dollars for the purpose of influencing the primary elections in that States.

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But we in Canada live in a glass house, and have no business to throw stones at the vulnerable house of a neighbor. Our own democratic citadel is not bomb proof. The Government in power at Ottawa does not represent the will of a majority of the people, and representing the will of a majority of the people is said to be the essence of democratic government. The Government maintains itself in power by purchasing the support of members of Parliament who certainly were not elected to support it. Our independent members of Parliament have not sold their independence for any personal considerations but for the privilege of dictating the policy of the Government. Therefore Canada, a democracy, is in precisely the same position as the countries of Europe in which democracy has been tried and found wanting. Canada is under a dictatorship, not of the proletariat but of a small minority. We are not sure of the position of the United States, but the charge is that it is under the dictatorship of a great power, the power of almost unlimited wealth.

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Yet, with all its weaknesses and limitations, we prefer a democratic system of government. If a crisis occurs in our affairs, we can determine the issue in a more or less satisfactory way by holding an election. The people who are working under an arbitrary system of Government cannot do that. Dictators are not subject to the will of the people. When European nations want to get rid of their dictators they must do it by force. There will be internal strife in Italy and other places one of these days, and probably much shedding of blood.

## *Notable Anniversaries*

Samuel Pepys, the famous diarist, died at his house in Clapham on May 26, 1703. He was born on February 23, 1632, but the place of his birth is not recorded. For many years, under Charles II and James II, he held important positions in connection with the navy, being known as an industrious and valuable public servant, though he confesses in his diary he was ready to use his office as a means of furthering his personal advantage. His "Memoirs of the Navy," compiled from the knowledge he gained in his official capacity, ranks as a valuable historical work. But Pepys is chiefly famous as the author of the immortal "Diary," one of the most notable works known to English literature. It covered the period 1660-'69, and gives a picture, complete in all details, of life in England in Restoration days. Curiously enough, it did not become known to the public for many years after its author passed from the scene, as it was practically buried in a mass of papers which Pepys bequeathed to Magdalene College, Cambridge, and it was written in the system of shorthand invented by Shelton. Not until after the publication of the diary written by John Evelyn, an almost equally famous contemporary, was attention given to Pepys' production. It was finally deciphered by John Smith, a clergyman, and a partial edition appeared in 1825, edited by Lord Braybrooke. Several editions were published in later years, but the standard edition is that by H. B. Wheatley, bearing date of 1893-'99, in nine volumes.

## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

### "Memorial" Wolf Cubs

Sir,—I was considerably surprised and annoyed to find in your report this morning of the street parade no mention of the "Memorial" Pack of Wolf Cubs and their decorated car. They followed on behind the Port Angeles Cubs, so were evidently considered as part of that pack.

I may say that the decorating of the cart was the work of the boys themselves, who spent a lot of their time and trouble over it, not with any great expectation of winning a prize, but as a little bit of community service, which you must admit, is not a plentiful thing, and when carried out, especially by the rising generation, should be publicly acknowledged and appreciated.

They will be deeply disappointed by this omission in the report, and I think it is not too late now to print something about it.

All honor to our visitors from Port Angeles, but let us not ignore our own youngsters.

WM. J. MUNROE.

248 Superior Street, Victoria, B.C., May 25, 1926.

## *Mayors and Reeves to Be His Worship of Vancouver's Guests*

VANCOUVER, May 25.—Mayors and reeves of the Lower Mainland of British Columbia and Vancouver Island will be the guests of Mayor Louis D. Taylor on June 13, Vancouver Day, it was announced at the City Hall today. The first gathering of this kind was held on June 13 last year, and Mayor Taylor plans to make it an annual event. Topics of general interest will be discussed and Mayor Taylor will seek support for the movement to bring the 1928 Imperial Conference to British Columbia.

## *The Weather*

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., May 25, 1926.

TEMPERATURE

| | Min. | Max. |
|---|---|---|
| Victoria | 46 | 63 |
| Vancouver | 44 | 66 |
| Kamloops | 28 | 70 |
| Barkerville | 24 | 52 |
| Prince Rupert | 44 | 60 |
| Estevan | 46 | 62 |
| Dawson, Y.T. | 36 | 42 |
| Calgary, Alta | 34 | 44 |
| Winnipeg, Man. | 50 | 70 |
| Portland, Ore. | 44 | 70 |
| San Francisco, Cal. | 52 | 66 |
| Seattle | 46 | 66 |
| Spokane | 38 | 56 |
| Penticton | 34 | 71 |
| Vernon | 35 | 70 |
| Grand Forks | 30 | 68 |
| Nelson | 32 | 62 |
| Cranbrook | 28 | 66 |
| Edmonton | 44 | 52 |
| Prince Albert | 50 | 62 |
| Swift Current | 46 | 52 |
| Qu'Appelle | 52 | 58 |

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and mild with showers.

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TUESDAY

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| Maximum | 63 |
| Minimum | 46 |
| Average | 54 |
| Minimum on the grass | 42 |

Bright sunshine (Monday) 11 hours 35 minutes.

General state of the weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.68; wind, S., 1 mile; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.94; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.72; wind, S.E., 4 miles; fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.72; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.76; wind, S.E., 8 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.94; wind, S.E., 4 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.94; wind, W., 4 miles; rain.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.94; wind, S.W., 4 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.94; wind, S.W., 14 miles; fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96; wind, W., 20 miles; clear.

Friend: "Do you understand what she writes?" Husband: "Yes, I can understand what she writes, but I am trying to find out what she means."

## COMMISSIONER IS DUE ON FRIDAY

### Mr. Robert A. O'Brien Will Be Dinner Guest Here This Week

With the object of forming branches of the Overseas League, Mr. Robert A. O'Brien, league commissioner, is now touring Canada, and will arrive here on Friday. There will be a dinner held at the Chamber of Commerce at seven o'clock.

The Overseas League, Mr. O'Brien says, is the strongest empire organization in existence, having a membership of some 33,000 men and women in all parts of the British Dominions, and in foreign countries. Members in Canada number over 2,000 and many others interested in maintaining the ties of empire are joining the ranks.

The objects of the league, according to Mr. O'Brien are to make for better acquaintance among the various parts of the empire and carry on its best traditions, and to draw together British subjects in all parts of the world.

The idea of establishing an organization of this nature to promote the unity of the empire was conceived by its founder, Mr. Evelyn Wrench, in the course of a visit to the then Governor-General, Earl Grey, at Ottawa, in 1906, and resulted in the formation of the Overseas Club with a membership of forty in 1910. This organization was succeeded in 1922 by the league in its present form.

Members are kept in touch with affairs of the league by the official publication, "Overseas" and a chain of correspondents is maintained in all parts of the world. The headquarters of the league at Vernon House in London, provides a gathering place for members of the organization when in Great Britain.

Mr. O'Brien, who is a nephew of the late Lord Northcliffe, is in close touch with empire affairs and is greatly interested in the promotion of the aims of the league.

## TRADE PROSPERITY IN ROMAN BRITAIN

### Presence of Imperial Garrison Gave Impetus to Country's Development in Pre-Saxon Days

LONDON—(By mail).—Dr. G. Macdonald delivered his second lecture on "Roman Britain" at the Royal Institution. After emphasizing the distinction between the military area and civil areas, he said that within the civil areas a distinction had to be drawn between the towns and the country.

Of the three great legionary fortresses we know as yet very little. Two were buried beneath cathedral cities. He had learned a little about Chester, and excavations promised to throw much light on the early history of York. But it was only at Caerleon that any opportunity for extensive exploration still remained. There was not a moment to lose, since the site was about to be built over. However, the forts of the auxiliaries reproduced in miniature the arrangements of a legionary fortress and the relics found in them gave some idea of the everyday life of the garrisons and their followers. A reasonably high standard of comfort prevailed, and the remnants of the tableware suggested a considerable degree of refinement, at all events among the officers. There was evidence to indicate that in normal times there was much coming and going with the natives, and that intermarriage was common. The fact that most of the soldiers were Gauls or Germans, and sometimes "renegade" Britons, would facilitate all this. We got a glimpse into their minds through the numerous altars and votive reliefs.

### Largest City

London was the largest and most important town. As regards size, it stood fairly high among the provincial cities of the Empire. It seemed to have been the financial headquarters of the Roman administration. It had, for example, an Imperial mint, and when Christianity was introduced it speedily took rank as an episcopal see. There was a Bishop of London at least as early as 314 A.D. Four of the towns of Roman Britain were "colonies" in the technical sense of the term, that was, settlements of time-expired soldiers. These were Colchester, Gloucester, Lincoln and York. Bath was a spa, St. Albans a municipality. Then there were a round dozen of tribal capitals, like Silchester and Canterbury, each of them a centre for the country district round about, and each of them the meeting place of a local assembly. Finally, there were smaller places like Kenchester and Lichfield along the great trunk roads. Dealing with casual finds in London and with excavations at Silchester, Caerwent and Wroxeter, etc., he said the picture revealed was that of a Britain prosperous and Romanized, with its language and much of its civilization imported from Mediterranean latitudes.

### Civil Area

Outside of the towns the civil area was thickly studded with remains which were usually described as those of "Roman villas," but which really represented the country houses and homesteads of the landed gentry and the farmers of the Imperial age. The owners would be engaged in agricultural and pastoral pursuits, the dwellers in the largest mansions being the big capitalists. Occasionally these latter might be foreigners, officials in charge of the Imperial domains, or men who had come to the island as traders and were now putting to a profitable use the fortunes they had acquired in business in London. Many of them, however, must have been native Celts who had the wit and the energy to seize the opportunity which the Roman occupation afforded. For there was no question of the impetus which the presence of the Roman garrison, with its host of followers, must have been to the development of the country. Wool, hides and corn would all be required in large quantities, and all could be produced locally. There was even something to spare for export. The frequent traces of native villages showed that there was an abundant supply of labor for the land, for the potteries and mines, and for industry generally.

If a balance were struck it would be found that the Britons had no cause to regret their attachment to the Empire. The severance, when it came, was the gradual outcome of increasing pressure from without. As the shadow descended its deepening was marked by the wailing of the towns, the erection of the forts on what was known as the Saxon Shore, and finally the planting of look-out posts along the headlands from the Humber to the Tees.

## *Mayor Asphyxiated*

MIDDLESTON, N.S., May 25.—Mayor W. T. Feindel was found dead in his garage yesterday, lying on the floor with the engine of his car running. He had apparently been asphyxiated by the fumes from the car's exhaust.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

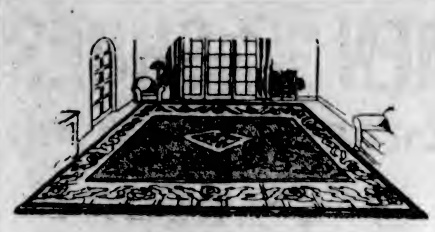
(From The Daily British Colonist of May 26, 1876)

Returned From Deans Canal—The steamer Sir James Douglas, Capt. Morrison, returned from Deans Canal yesterday. Two surveying parties were landed at Kamsquat, where the steamer lay one day. The run up was made in four days. Coming down the weather was very unfavorable and the trip occupied five days.

The steamer Cariboo Fly arrived here at 4 p.m. yesterday from Comox and way ports with the following passengers: Mrs. Bunting, Mrs. Bano, Mrs. Wakefield, C. Bunting, F. Neamer, W. Lomas, T. Jones, J. Warren, P. Phillips, N. Buchanan, Harrison, Lakin and A. Mayer. She also brought down a heavy load of skins and twenty nine sheep from Pimbury's ranch at Cowichan.

Accepted—Arthur W. Vowell was gazetted yesterday as Gold Commissioner of Cassiar. Mr. Vowell is a gentleman of large experience, having been Assistant Gold Commissioner of Big Bend, and subsequently Gold Commissioner of Kootenay and Omineca. He is liked by the miners and his appointment will be received by them with satisfaction. During the late session of the House Mr. Vowell represented Kootenay District. The appointment is highly creditable to the Government.

The Regatta—It was the Hudson's Bay Company's (Esquimalt) Whitehall boat, sailed by Wm. Trickey and Wm. Duncan, that won the sailing match in the regatta, and not the Rocket's cutter.

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THE HONORABLE J. D. MacLEAN, M.D., C.M., LL.D., Minister of Education.

Short addresses will be given by R. H. Pooley, Esq., M.P.P.; George Jay, Esq., Chairman Victoria School Board; Capt. R. P. Matheson, Reeve of Esquimalt.

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## FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Aerie No. 13, are requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, J. A. Wright, from the B.C. Funeral Chapel, Thursday, May 27, at 2:30 p.m.

J. BELANGER, W. Pres.
W. W. LAING, Secy.

## *Obituary*

JOHNSTON—The body of the late Mrs. Mary Johnston was laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park yesterday afternoon. Funeral service was held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, at 2:30 o'clock, when the Rev. W. G. Wilson, of the First United Church, officiated. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God to Thee" and "Abide With Me." There was an unusually large attendance of friends present and a profusion of beautiful floral designs covered the casket and hearse, bearing testimony to the high esteem in which the late Mrs. Johnston was held. Messrs. W. A. McLean, A. J. Wilson, Alex. Peden, W. E. Losee, George Germanson and A. McKeachie acted as pallbearers.

WRIGHT—Funeral service for the late John Alexander Wright will be held at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, 734 Broughton Street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. The body will be laid to rest at Royal Oak Burial Park.

BOTT—The funeral of the late John Cecil Latham Bott took place yesterday afternoon at 2:15 from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, and proceeded to St. Mary's Church, where service was conducted by the Rev. Archdeacon Laycock, assisted by the Rev. A. E. de L. Nunns, in the presence of a large number of friends. The casket was draped with the Union Jack, and many beautiful floral offerings covered the hearse. The hymns sung were "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" and "Abide With Me." The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Major F. B. Edwards, Lt. G. W. Beveridge, Sgt. J. Ready, M.G.S. P. J. Crow, Major T. Godfrey, Capt. B. Gadsden, C.S.M. A. W. Webb, and Lt. W. C. Warren. The body was laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

# COMMITTEE HEARS OF DRUG SEIZURE

### BARRISTER TELLS OF BISAILLON'S RELUCTANCE TO GIVE TESTIMONY

**Former Preventive Officer Explains—Accuses Mounties of Plotting to "Frame" Montreal Woman**

OTTAWA, May 25.—Echoes of the Lortie-St. George drug seizure and prosecution were heard during this afternoon's sitting of the Customs inquiry committee. This was a seizure of approximately $35,000 worth of narcotic drugs which were being smuggled into Canada by two women. The drugs were seized on the Canada Steamship wharf at Montreal, the two women were arrested, and their prosecution resulted in a fine of $500 each, or in default, three months in jail.

This afternoon Philippe Monette, barrister, Montreal, who conducted the prosecution in the case appeared before the committee. He told the committee that J. E. A. Bisaillon, former chief preventive officer at Montreal, was a witness for the crown in this prosecution, but had appeared reluctant in answering some of the questions put to him.

**Bisaillon Explains**

After Mr. Monette had given his evidence, Bisaillon was called to the witness stand. He told the committee that the drug seizure was not made by him and that it was not his business to arrange for the prosecution of the two women. Asked why he was angry at questions put to him at the trial, Bisaillon said there had been an attempt to make him identify the sister of a prominent druggist in Montreal as a drug-runner.

The Mounted Police who were working on this case, one called Fafard and the other MacDonald, had come to his home and after drinking a good deal, had suggested that the family of this woman would do a great deal to avoid publicity. He had protected himself by placing another person in the next room who heard this suggestion made, Bisaillon said. Fafard was now in jail, and MacDonald was no longer on the police force.

**Forgets Friend's Name**

"Who was in the next room?" asked Mr. Doucet, of the committee.

"I don't remember," replied the witness.

Mr. Doucet asked him if he thought that people of ordinary intelligence would believe that answer; but the witness insisted that he could not recall the person's name.

J. G. Gauthier, of the R. & G. Company, Rock Island, Que., confessed to smuggling and also to destruction of documents required by the Customs committee this morning. For several days the committee has been trying to find out from Gauthier where certain books and documents of his firm were to be found. These books and papers are required by the auditors of the committee who wish to find out certain facts in connection with the business of the R. & G. Company.

Until today little progress had been made. But this morning under close examination by different members of the committee, Gauthier confessed that he was a smuggler, described how he brought the goods into Canada and agreed to assist in the audit. His partner, H. G. Duncalfe, also admitted that he knew Gauthier was engaged in smuggling for the firm.

**Driven Across in Daylight**

Gauthier gave the committee the names of several manufacturing companies in the United States from which he bought goods which were smuggled into Canada. The process was to bring the goods to a barn owned by a man called Walsh, who lived on the United States side of the line. Gauthier's company is engaged in the manufacture of overalls and shirts and cottons. Buttons and similar articles were smuggled in. From the barn, they were driven across the line into Rock Island by motor truck.

Apparently, the witless had little trouble in evading the Dominion Customs officials. He said that he smuggled in daylight, that he sometimes drove up the main street of Rock Island, that he passed Customs officials and that he had no trouble. He declared that he had never bribed Customs officers to pass goods.

**Thirty Loads Smuggled**

Gauthier told of hiring a truck man to drive in his smuggled goods for him.

"How many truck loads did he bring in for you?" asked Chairman Mercier.

"About thirty, I think," was the reply. He was not willing to swear that the number was not a hundred, but he said that it would be an exaggeration to say that he had paid Seguin $1,000 for his services. The truck was driven across the line in daylight.

**Summons Rouses Ire**

A summons issued by the committee to Hudon, Herbert & Company, of Montreal, brought a warm reply from the manager of that firm. The firm was requested to produce before the committee "all books, checks and documents relating to the purchase of liquor and alcohol during April, May, June and July, 1925, and particularly all dealings with J. A. Bisaillon."

This morning, Chairman Paul Mercier read a letter from Z. Herbert, manager of the company, saying that his firm had not handled liquor since 1921, when the Quebec Liquor Commission came into existence. The letter stated that the writer did not know from whom the committee had received its information in regard to the liquor business of his firm. "I think it must be the work of some mean and contemptible person," it said referring to the informant. The facts were incorrect.

In closing, the writer of the letter said that he assumed it would be unnecessary for him to appear before the committee in order to give "an absolute and unqualified denial," to the statement that his firm had engaged in the liquor business at the time alleged.

**Must Appear**

The chairman asked R. L. Calder, K.C., committee counsel, why the summons had been issued to this firm.

Mr. Calder replied that the firm was summoned on certain evidence given in the Duncan report by witnesses Mayer and Balthasar.

"I am surprised a man of the standing of Mr. Herbert writing such a foolish letter," remarked the chairman. "Statements made in the Duncan report were declarations of witnesses on oath. Mr. Herbert should come and deny them before the committee if they were untrue."

"The clerk will tell Mr. Herbert to come here. I object to such letters," Mr. Mercier concluded.

## *At Head of Affairs In Chinese Capital*

DR. W. W. YEN

Premier of the new Government at Peking, a reconstitution of the Cabinet of which he was head in 1924 before Marshal Feng Yu-Hsiang became dominant.

## *City Will Convey Thanks for Gift Of Indian Canoe*

THE City Council decided last night to convey in writing to Harry, a member of the Malahat Reserve, its thanks for his gift to the City of Victoria of a brand new Indian war canoe, a replica of the canoe used by the Malahats on Monday in winning one of the eleven-paddle races at the Regatta at the Gorge.

Alderman Harvey sponsored a resolution to the above effect, stating that the city was honored in being the recipient of such a kindly gift. "We must find a resting place for it," he affirmed, in suggesting that this matter be left in the hands of the Civic Parks Board for decision.

"A very pleasant memento of May 24, 1924," was the expression employed by Alderman Marchant, in seconding the motion. He said that the canoe would be a permanent acquisition to Beacon Hill Park, and that an appropriate place to put it would be located.

The Council left the question of the utilization of the Indian canoe to the Parks Board to determine.

## *West Road Athletic Association's Social To Be Held Tonight*

Another dance will be held in the West Road Hall this evening, beginning at 9 o'clock, and continuing until 1 a.m. This social function is the second of a series of Summer dances staged by the West Road Athletic Association. It is expected that a large crowd of merry-makers will be present. The spacious hall has been beautifully decorated for the occasion with greenery and bunting, which will no doubt tend to make the evening more enjoyable. The committee in charge of the affair has been working hard and faithfully for the past week or so in order that this dance will be one of the most successful social functions held under the name of the West Road A.A. Pitt's orchestra has been hired for the occasion. During the course of the evening light refreshments will be served.

## *Foul Play Suspected In Case of Teacher's Death at Essington*

PRINCE RUPERT, May 25.—Belief that Loretta Chisholm, twenty-two-year-old teacher, found dead on a trail Monday near the town of Port Essington, was murdered, is becoming firmly established as further details of the tragedy are learned. Already a half-breed Indian has been placed under arrest at Essington in connection with the girl's death following the finding of moss stuffed in the dead girl's mouth. The trail near which the body was found was a favorite walk of Miss Chisholm and this was generally known.

VANCOUVER, May 25.—Miss Loretta Chisholm, whose body was found on Monday on a trail outside of Port Essington, on the Skeena River, was a graduate of the Normal School, Vancouver, and left here to take charge of the school at Port Essington, a year ago. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Chisholm, reside at Bridgeport, Lulu Island, ten miles south of Vancouver. No particulars as to how the girl met her death have reached her family.

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# HOSPITAL BILL IS PAID UNDER PROTEST

**Esquimalt Advised by Municipal Solicitor That This Is Advisable Course to Take**

The Esquimalt Council will pay the bill rendered by the Jubilee Hospital on the per capita basis now in effect under amendments to the Act passed by the Legislature. The question of the right to charge the municipality for those who went to the hospital from the military and naval barracks and also those who came under the military re-establishment service, was referred to the municipal solicitor.

The reply of Mr. Sedger, the solicitor, was that he did not feel prepared to advise whether the Provincial legislation was ultra vires of the Province.

He further advised that in his opinion the Council would be well advised to pay the bill rendered by the hospital under protest.

This latter course will be followed.

# SAVAGE DUEL FOUGHT BY OLD-TIME LORDS

**Curious Manuscripts of Hundreds of Years Ago Uncarthed by Royal Commission**

LONDON, May 25.—There are many good things in the report of the Royal Commission on Historical Manuscripts.

To prevent the complete loss to the nation of private family papers by sale to rich collectors, the commission suggests that all documents of special interest should be photographed.

Among the Duke of Portland's manuscripts is a sixteenth century document, showing "the savage spirit" in which quarrels were conducted. It is a letter from Edward Sackville describing his duel with Edward Lord Bruce (Lord Kinloss).

"The two met in Holland, on ground ankle deep in water, and after Sackville had received two wounds they seized each other's swords, after wrestling for some time Sackville got his sword free and, still holding Bruce's, stabbed him in the breast.

**Killing Prevented**

"Both were almost lifeless from wounds and loss of blood; Bruce's surgeon seized his principal's sword, and was only prevented from killing Sackville with it by the efforts of the latter's surgeon and the earnest commands by Bruce himself, 'Base villain, hold thy hands.'"

One discovers the first Earl of Egmont on March 2, 1734, going to the Haymarket Playhouse and being most impressed by the feats of a "strong man" stretched between two chairs supporting the weight of six men.

Another extract from the same diary reads:

"This week a laborer's wife in the parish of Plumstead dreamt that in her hog-stye she should find in digging a pot of money buried; in the morning she desired her husband to clear out the stye, which he refused, whereupon she took her spade and fell to work, and accordingly found a good quantity of Charles the Second's silver coin, with which she went immediately and paid her debts."

**"Dreadful" Victory Won**

A letter (1665) of Sir Allen Apsley finely describes the defeat of the Dutch by the Duke of York in Solebay. Apsley was on board one of the duke's ships:

"The battle began about half an hour past three on the morning of Saturday. They continued a fierce fight from that time till about four of the clock in the afternoon, at which time Updam's ship blew up with all her men.

"Not long after this they began to fly towards their own coasts, but still fighting, which continued as long as we could see. Four of their great ships being foul of one another, a fire ship of ours ran in amongst them and in a moment set them all on fire. And to see so many poor souls leaping from the fire to the sea and swimming there as thick as ears of corn together was the saddest sight I ever behold. I think our catches (ketches) saved about 120 of them.

"Another rascal that commanded a fire ship . . . burned and drowned 500 men. This is the greatest victory that ever the English won, and our seamen say it is the most dreadful that ever was fought."

NANAIMO, May 25.—Fire late tonight destroyed the Parksville Garage at Parksville, twenty-two miles north of here, and the Rambler Tea Rooms, according to word received here. Both buildings and contents were totally destroyed, the message stated.


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## *City Inspectors Keep Close Check On Food Supply*

Two hundred and one milk vendors, owning 2,165 cows, supply the City of Victoria with milk, according to a report on food inspection filed by Dr. A. G. Price, city health officer, with the city council members yesterday. Six hundred and forty-four tests were made at the laboratory, and the milk so tested, with few exceptions, had been found good and pure.

All beef offered for sale in the city has been carefully inspected and stamped before being permitted to be sold. There were 3,086 carcasses inspected during the past year. The department inspects all places where food is exposed for sale, including the Public Market, and wherever found unfit, the food has been condemned.

TORONTO, May 25. — Hector Charlesworth, who commenced his long journalistic career on the staff of Saturday Night in 1891 as a 'teen-age boy, has been appointed editor of that publication, it will be announced in this week's issue. He succeeds the late Charles Frederick Paul.

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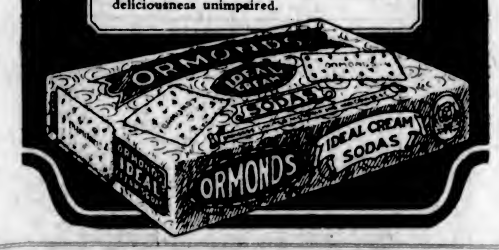




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### *Joyce Hawley's Bath*

NEW YORK, May 25.—Joyce Hawley testified today in the perjury trial of Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, that she not only occupied a bathtub on the stage of the Earl Carroll Theatre, but that she was drunk when she got into it from liquor served her in the theatre. She also testified that she had been offered $350 by an associate of Carroll if she would appear before the grand jury and say there was no champagne or wine served at the party.

# *City and District*

**Charge Dismissed**—In the city police court yesterday morning Magistrate Jay dismissed the charge against Walter D. Carley of creating a disturbance in a public place. A similar charge against Clifford Dawley was withdrawn.

**Charged With Vagrancy**—Charged with vagrancy, Alexander Turner was remanded when he was arraigned before Magistrate Jay in the city police court yesterday morning. He will appear again this morning.

**School Board Meets**—Reports from the school principals were received by the Esquimalt School Board at its meeting in the Lampson Street School last night. Salaries, accounts and other routine work was dealt with.

**Conservatives Meet**—The executives of Wards Three and Four, Liberal-Conservative Association, will meet in the party rooms in the Campbell Building at 8 o'clock this evening. There is important business to come before the meeting, including matters relating to the tariff question.

**Grant to Sailors' Club**—The Esquimalt municipal council last evening made a grant of $50 to the Sailors' Club. It was pointed out in this connection that the club served a good purpose in taking care of a number of cases that would otherwise fall upon the municipality.

**Driving to Common Danger** — Charged with driving to the common danger on Johnson Street, Charles Arden was fined $25 by Magistrate Jay in the city police court yesterday morning. Arden was alleged to have been responsible for a collision between his automobile and another car at the corner of Johnson and Douglas Streets on Saturday evening.

**Wiring Engineer Resigns**—Mr. William Porteous, wiring engineer for Esquimalt, sent in his resignation to the council last evening owing to the fact that he is leaving. The resignation was accepted and the municipality will advertise for a successor. In the meantime the municipal engineer will perform the duties connected with the office.

**CFCT Radio Tonight**—Mr. Joseph Rose, optician, will deliver the fourth of a series of talks over Radio CFCT tonight. On previous occasions Mr. Rose has spoken on various phases of "The Care of the Eyes," and he has chosen for the theme of his address tonight "Making Canada Safer." Mr. Rose will begin at 8:20 o'clock.

**Farmers Fight Grasshoppers** — Farmers of the Okanagan Valley are meeting with an encouraging measure of success in their war upon invading armies of grasshoppers, according to reports received yesterday at the Parliament Buildings. The Department of Agriculture is co-operating with the ranchers by supplying poison for use in the campaign.

**In Aid of Solarium**—In aid of the Solarium for Crippled Children and under the direction of Mrs. Gaskill and the Hollywood dancers, a concert will be given in Strawberry Vale Hall on Friday evening. The event, which is sponsored by the local Women's Institute, promises to be most attractive, and the generous response of Vale residents is anticipated.

**Minimum Wage Law**—The minimum wage law affecting the lumber industry in British Columbia will be promulgated at the beginning of next week, Mr. J. D. McNiven, chairman of the board which will administer the new regulations, announced yesterday. Mr. McNiven said that the board had finished its investigation of all but a few trifling matters prior to drawing up the final draft of the regulations.

**Illicit Liquor Sale Charge**—A charge of illicit sale of liquor will be called this morning in Magistrate Jay's court, against a man who was arrested by the city police last night at 11 o'clock.

**City Manager to Be Discussed**—At the Centennial United Church tonight a public meeting will be held for the discussion of the city manager problem, when Alderman Major Cuthbert Holmes and Mr. John Dean will speak on the affirmative side and Aldermen Woodward and Dewar on the negative. At the close of the debate a general discussion will take place.

**Three Ministers Away** — Three members of the Provincial Cabinet are now absent from the Parliament Buildings. Hon. William Sloan is the guest of Washington State mining experts at a convention in Seattle this week. Hon. E. D. Barrow is making a tour of the Cariboo country in company with leaders of the B.C. Stockbreeders' Association. Hon. W. H. Sutherland left for Harrison Hot Springs after inspecting the Powell River Pulp and Paper Company's plant at Powell River.

**Sheep Attract Ranchers**—Ranchers of the interior of British Columbia are engaging in increasing numbers in the sheep industry, according to members of the sheep promotion committee of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, who returned here yesterday after a tour of the Interior undertaken to educate ranchers in the advantages and proper methods of sheep raising. Many ranchers have found that they can make more money proportionately out of their sheep operations than in the production of beef, according to members of the committee.

**Appointments Made**—The Provincial Government yesterday announced the appointment of the following new officials: Messrs. S. M. Norton, of Elko, to be a Justice of the Peace; Louis Clery, of Westbridge, to be a notary public; C. J. Whittaker, of Chilliwack, to be a registrar; J. A. Stewart, of Cranbrook, to be acting issuer of marriage licences; Roy Jacobson, of Trout Lake, to be an issuer of marriage licences; Edward Farfar, of Hudson's Hope, to be a registrar under the Marriage Act; J. F. Tannock, to be Deputy Government Agent at Prince Rupert.

## FIRE ALARM BOXES REQUEST IS DENIED

**City Will Not Instal Boxes on Industrial Reserve at Present Time, Manufacturers Advised**

The manufacturers on the Industrial Reserve who petitioned the city for the installation of fire alarm boxes on the Reserve, will be advised by the City Council that it does not consider it necessary to instal any fire alarm boxes at the present time.

The City Council last night adopted the recommendation of the Fire Wardens, presented by the chairman, Alderman John Mara, that the request of the petitioners be denied.

On a report to the Fire Wardens, Fire Chief Vernon W. Stewart recommended that, owing to the financial outlay required, the request for fire alarm boxes on the Industrial Reserve, be not granted.

"In addition, I would draw to your attention that there are several large business places in the middle of the city, which are not protected at present, but for which this department has been trying in a limited way, as funds permit, to have the necessary street fire alarm boxes installed," Chief Stewart declared.

## 3 MEMBERS ABANDON NEWFOUNDLAND CHIEF

**Premier Monroe Announces Resignations of Two of Followers—Third Goes Over to Opposition**

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., May 25.—Premier W. S. Monroe announced this afternoon that Lewis Little, member of the Government for Bonavista, and Philip Moore, representative of the Ferryland district, had tendered their resignations.

These resignations follow the dismissal on Saturday of two members of Premier Monroe's cabinet, F. G. Bradley and C. E. Russell, who were charged with "treachery" by the Premier in letters demanding their resignations.

A further defection was recorded at the opening of the House this afternoon when Clyde Lake, Government member for Burin, entered with the Opposition party.

### *WEATHER DELAYS BERRY RIPENING*

Ripening of strawberries is being retarded by the cool weather of the last few days, according to the weekly bulletin of the Department of Agriculture, issued here yesterday and outlining conditions as follows:

"Wednesday, May 12, was an exceedingly hot day for the time of year, the temperature rising to 82 deg. F. The next day there was a sudden change and it was raining most of the day. Since that date the weather has been cooler and somewhat dull and overcast with showers. Strawing of strawberry plantations is general at the present time, and this work should be pretty well completed by the end of the week.

"Marshall strawberries have been on the market in crate lots during the past week.

"A few Magoons have been picked, but picking will not be general for another week. The cool weather of the past week has retarded ripening.

"Gooseberries are being harvested in fairly large quantities at the present time.

"Loganberries are in full bloom and give promise of an excellent crop.

"Himalaya blackberries are not yet in bloom.

"Raspberries are coming into bloom.

"Planting of late potatoes is general at the present time and should be completed in the near future.

"Greenhouse tomatoes and cucumbers have been moving in increasing quantities during the past week."

## UNDER THE CLOCK

**City Hall Activities in Brief**

Members of the City Council were invited last night by Alderman Marchant, chairman of the civic parks committee, to attend the ceremonies in connection with the opening of the wading pool for children in Beacon Hill Park, constructed by the Victoria Kiwanis Club, which will take place today at 3:30 o'clock, at Beacon Hill.

The Council decided to make the following purchases from A. E. Ames & Co. for investment of sinking funds:

£100 City of Victoria 4's, due January, 1935, payable in London only, issued under By-law No. 655, amended No. 676, at 91.46; yield 5.22 per cent.

£400 City of Victoria 4 per cent bonds, due August 30, 1935 (interest payable January 21 and July 21, By-laws Nos. 730 and 732), at 91.09 and accrued interest; yield 5.22½ per cent.

£600 City of Victoria 4 per cent debenture stock, due 1962, at 80.65 and accrued interest; yielding 5.20 per cent.

City Engineer Frank M. Preston was authorized to make the necessary approval of a new subdivision plan of Lots 12, 16 and 17, Section 10, Victoria City, situated between Albany Road and Carroll Street.

The recommendation of the finance committee that 100 tons of asphalt be purchased from the Union Oil Company at $24.75 per ton, f.o.b. Garbally Road plant, was adopted.

The Council decided to make an additional twelve-inch connection between the Sooke Lake and Goldstream waterworks systems. The cost of this work will be charged to waterworks account, and the Water Commissioner estimated this will amount to approximately $1,200.

Immediate application will be made to the Superintendent of Banff National Park (Mr. Stronach) for one pair of mountain goats, to be placed in the reserved area at Beacon Hill Park.

The Council adopted the following recommendation of the public works committee: "That the offer of Mr. D. H. Dale to accept $8,000 for a strip of his property on Fort Street for street widening purposes, be not entertained."

Permission was granted to Wing Chong & Company to install a gasoline tank, with capacity of 236 gallons, and one pump, at 610 Cormorant Street.

The offer of Mr. H. R. Leech, on behalf of Mr. William Graham Howard, of Santa Monica, Cal., to purchase for the sum of $1,100, Lot 23, Roll 8665, Section 74, Victoria City May 737, situated on the corner of Fort and Verrinder Streets, save and except the northerly portion thereof required for street widening purposes in conformity with the plan approved by the City Council, was accepted. This property reverted to the city at the 1921 tax sale.

The City Council accepted the offer of Messrs. Frank Ross Begg and Fredrick Bruce Begg, Vancouver, B.C., automobile dealers, to purchase for the sum of $2,500 net cash, Lot 382, Roll 598, Block 4, Victoria City, situated on Johnson Street. This property reverted to the city at the 1922 tax sale.

## PREMIER RECEIVES RAILWAY LEADERS

**Mr. Grant Hall and Mr. D. C. Coleman Pay Call on Mr. Oliver—Position of P.G.E. Not Affected**

Mr. Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, and Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president in charge of Western lines, Winnipeg, paid a visit to the Parliament Buildings yesterday afternoon to call on Premier Oliver.

Their visit was not concerned with business affairs, Premier Oliver said afterwards, declaring that the position with regard to the Pacific Great Eastern Railway was unchanged.

To questions regarding the status of the Edmonton, Dunvegan & British Columbia Railway, Premier Oliver said his visitors had intimated that in deference to Premier Brownlee, of Alberta, they would prefer that information on the subject should be given out by him.

### *Revelstoke Pupil Leads Canadian Awards in Competitive Essays*

MONTREAL, May 25.—Winners of the prizes offered by Hon. James W. Gerard, former United States ambassador to Germany, for the best essays by the boys and girls of Canada, on "Friendship of Great Britain, Canada and the United States, and How Best to Maintain It," have been awarded as follows:

First Prize, $200—Dorothea Lundell, 29 Ninetieth Street, Revelstoke, B.C.

Second Prize, $150—Frank Gray, Gardenvale, Que.

Third Prize, $100—Kenneth E. Edey, 3314 Adam Street, Montreal.

Fourth Prize, $50—T. D. Baker, 1110 Fifth Street West, Calgary.

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Of unusual importance to Roman Catholics is the 28th International Eucharistic Congress in Chicago, Ill., June 20th to 24th next.

The Church dignitaries are duly appreciative of the efforts made by the Canadian National Railways, who have arranged to operate special trains to and from the Congress, and have also made reservations for several hundred people in good hotels at a reasonable expense, and ask their people to make application promptly for the necessary sleeping car and hotel accommodation. The Church authorities were consulted prior to arranging the train service so that the proper departure time from the various centres would be insured.

Those who desire to use the regular service have the privilege of traveling on the through train which is operated during the Summer season from Western Canada to Chicago.

Any agent of the Canadian National Railways will be pleased to give you further particulars and complete all arrangements. (Advt.)

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*The Romance of British Columbia—No. 23*
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MACKENZIE MEETS HOSTILE NATIVES WHO THREATEN HIS PARTY

NOT content with having reached an arm of the sea, and being desirous to view the Pacific Ocean itself, MacKenzie secured a canoe—such as is used for navigating the "salt chuck," or ocean water—and continued his journey down what is now called Bentinck Arm and Deom Channel. In that channel he encountered natives, who told him that, a short time before, white men in boats had been in those waters and that one of them had fired upon them. They probably referred to Vancouver and Menzies. The Indians were indignant over those matters and showed much hostility to MacKenzie and his men. This feeling of hostility seemed to grow as he proceeded westward.

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*The next shows Mackenzie writing on the rock at Elche.*

# ESQUIMALT DISPOSES OF HAIG STREET LOTS

**Mr. J. C. Bridgman's Offer Accepted—Solicitor's Advice on Assessment Conflicts With Reeve's View**

Replying to a letter relative to an offer to purchase four lots on Haig Street, Mr. J. C. Bridgman informed the Esquimalt Council last evening that he was prepared to stand by his offer of $401 for these lots owned by the municipality through reversion following non-payment of taxes.

These lots had been the subject of some discussion at the Council meeting, as the price was higher than the amount of taxes due on the lots, and it has been felt that there might have been some misunderstanding due to the fact that it was announced that there was competition for these lots, and later this had been found to be incorrect.

In this connection there had been a reference to the municipal solicitor as to the effect upon the assessment of the municipality if a higher price were accepted than the amount due for taxes.

The reeve had held that the setting of a higher price than the taxes due would affect the assessment and might set a valuation on lots. The solicitor advised that in his opinion the price put upon any tax sale lots by the Council would not affect the assessed value of lots.

Reeve Matheson said he did not agree with the view expressed by the solicitor. He was still of the opinion that the assessment would be affected. The opinion was received and filed.

# PUBLIC ENTERS EMPIRE SHOPPING WEEK SPIRIT

**Victoria Stores Give Special Display of Local and Empire Products—Co-operation Asked**

The beginning of the week proves the spirit of the public toward the British Empire Shopping Week campaign, to be one of complete patriotism and co-operativeness.

The appearance of the "Red, White and Blue" in shop windows throughout the town is the sign of the merchants' zeal in fulfilling their part of the big compact for the promotion of Imperial self-patronage and support.

The meaning of British Empire Shopping Week, as conceived by the British Women's Patriotic League some four years ago, is not beyond the grasp of the littlest citizen who is old enough to attend public school, and the instruction of children in the principles of the campaign has a tremendous bearing upon its national importance and effectiveness.

The purchase of local products is considered of primary importance in this carefully organized Empire-wide plan. In the case of each city its own products naturally come first, then those of each province or county, of each country, and finally, of any country within the Empire.

Shoppers are earnestly requested to make every endeavor to co-operate with the shopkeepers to make British Empire Shopping Week an institution of vital present and ever-increasing importance.

# RATS MAKE HAVOC WITH OLD DEEDS

**One Rodent in Record Office, London, Died After Meals Off a Chancery Roll**

LONDON, May 25.—Thirty highly-skilled men are busy at work in the Repairs Department of the Record Office in Chancery Lane remedying the ravages which time and neglect have wrought among ancient documents.

Many torn fragments are being mounted on new parchment by the use of gauze and silk.

"Years ago," said an official, "this work was very badly done.

"Odd documents from the courts and public offices were stuffed into sacks and boxes, and frequently became the food of rats and mice before the Record Office took it over."

A skeleton of a rat, with a copy of a chancery roll, on which it had been making a meal, is now exhibited in the office.

The roll has been flattened out, mounted and repaired, and it was possible to decipher the writing on the fragments.

Important finds have been made in sacks of crumbling documents, of which there is such a quantity that the Repairs Department will be kept busy for a long time.

## *Samoa One of "Dampest" Spots Under U.S. Flag*

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Languorous Samoa out in the South seas is today, Volsteadly speaking, wetter than was Chicago's beer zone and is probably one of the dampest spots under the American flag.

This is the assertion of Dr. S. M. Lambert, specialist with the Carnegie Foundation, who arrived in San Francisco aboard the Oceanic liner Ventura after eight years of research work in Samoa.

Where once an intoxicated native was a rare spectacle, there is now a home brewing apparatus in every hut and the natives go on prolonged sprees lasting for days, says Dr. Lambert.

"They confiscate tin cans, boilers, tubs and anything they can lay their hands on to build their distilleries," he states. "They make much and varied alcoholic beverages out of everything from fruits to roots. They drank little when liquor was to be purchased. But since then they have been as quick as the Americans to circumvent prohibition.

"It has brought a detrimental effect upon the natives. They have become unreliable and listless. They refuse to work and once they take employment will throw up their jobs upon the slightest provocation and get back to their drinking."

## *Suicide Gave Notice*

VANCOUVER, May 25.—The lifeless body of Isaac Meldowan, fifty-two, of South Vancouver, was found hanging by a rope from a beam in the plant of the Hoffar Construction Company, here on Monday morning. The body was removed to the morgue. According to the police who investigated the tragedy, Meldowan is said to have telephoned his home about 2 o'clock Monday morning, and intimated that he intended ending his life.

## *Seamen's Union President Opposed a General Strike*

MR. J. HAVELOCK WILSON, M.P.
World-known Labor leader of Great Britain, who opposed the general strike. President of the International Seamen's and Firemen's Union, he has been champion of the workers of Britain for many years.

# NERVOUS SYSTEM SHOWN IN PLANTS

**Extreme Sensitiveness Instanced in Lecture in London by Sir J. C. Bose—Demonstration Given**

LONDON, May 25.—Sir Jagadish Chandra Bose, lecturing at University College, London, said that theories of Pfeffer and others based on the supposition that a hydro-mechanical disturbance or the secretion of an irritant by a wound was necessary for excitation in plants stood condemned if it could be shown that an excitatory impulse was generated in the plant by a feeble stimulus which caused no wound or any physical disturbance. He had discovered that mimosa pudica could be excited by an electric shock one-tenth of the intensity that evoked human sensation. By such a feeble stimulus, which caused no wound and no mechanical disturbance, the plant could be uniformly excited time after time, and the velocity of its nervous impulse determined under normal or changed external condition.

The impulse was transmitted not only upwards, but also downwards against the direction of the movement of sap. Cold applied on the path of conduction slowed down and arrested the impulse; narcotics produced a temporary stoppage; and poisons permanently abolished it. He had been able to produce an artificial paralysis in the plant nerve which was cured by applying the same treatment found effective in the removal of paralysis in the animal.

**Demonstrations Given**

The lecturer gave demonstrations by means of his "resonant recorder," whereby the plant automatically inscribes the speed of its nervous impulse. The writer is tuned to a particular musical note vibrating as much as 1,000 times in a second, and the instrument taps successive dots by which time as short as a thousandth part of a second can be recorded. He had found the perception or latent period of the motor organ of mimosa to to be six hundredths of a second. Fatigue prolonged the latent period; when excessively tired the plant lost its power of perception, which was regained only after half an hour's absolute rest. In stout specimens the speed of reaction was sluggish, whereas a very thin specimen attained its acme of excitation in a very short time. A plant protected under glass from the stimulating buffets of the elements looked sleek and flourishing, yet in reality it was flabby, its nervous power remaining undeveloped. But when a succession of blows fell on this effete specimen, the shocks created nervous paths and wakened it up into activity.

He had been able to localize the plant nerve by two independent methods: first, by the electric probe, and, secondly, by selective staining. He had discovered a highly active and rapidly oxidizable substance in the quickly contractile pulvinus of mimosa, whereas it was absent in the inactive and insensitive pulvinus of the ordinary bean plant. In the leaf stalk of the mimosa four nerves led from the four sub-petioles to the four quadrants of the pulvinus, each of which had a distinct motor function. If one of the four sub-petioles was stimulated, then a definite impulse was sent along the particular nerve to stimulate its own quadrant.

But energy was conserved at the centre and the outlying organs were quickly adjusted to meet any crisis.

**"Lying Low" When in Danger**

Discussing the question of the advantages secured by such a highly elaborated nervous system, Sir Jagadis said that one advantage was the co-ordinated reflex by which the leaf surface was adjusted perpendicularly to the incident light, so as to insure the absorption of the largest amount of radiant energy for photo-synthesis. Another important function was the transmission of a rapid message to the motor organ for quick reaction in avoiding threatened danger. Large patches of ground in the tropics were covered by mimosa. When one of the vivid green leaves was trampled upon or bitten by grazing cattle, a nervous impulse was sent through the plant, the leaves fell and pressed themselves against the ground, and the leaflets also closed. A patch of vivid green was rapidly transformed into thin lines of dull grey unnoticed against the dark ground. The plant thus saved itself literally by "lying low" and making itself invisible.

## *Alaskan Village Gets Smallpox Under Control*

KODIAK, Alaska, May 25.—Smallpox, which broke out in this isolated village May 19, was pronounced under control today. With the arrival of the U.S. Bureau of Fisheries vessel Kittewake last night from Seward, Alaska, with vaccine points, vaccination of all residents began. It was expected that everyone would be vaccinated by tomorrow night. Three cases of smallpox, all children, had been reported.

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For Today's Buyers
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With elastic ribbed tops, reinforced at heels and toes. Shown in black, peach, piping rock, bran, French nude and white. Special at, per pair .... $1.29
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**Novelty Garters, 29c a Pair**
Shirred Satin Ribbon Garters, trimmed with contrasting ribbon bow or black lace rosette. Shown in turquoise, cerise, mauve, orange, sky, peach, Nile, Pekin and pansy. Special at, per pair.... 29¢
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**Children's Pantie Dresses, Special, $1.00**
Made from good quality neat check gingham or plain chambray, trimmed with contrasting piping; straight style, with round neck, short sleeves and patch pocket. Shown in green, saxe, orange and scarlet. Sizes 3 to 6 years. Price .... $1.00
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Finely Knitted Rayon Silk Scarves, finished with silk fringe. Shown in plain and dropstitch weaves as well as block and striped designs; in henna, Copenhagen, silver, mauve, orange, fawn, jade, purple and black. Values to $3.95. Special at .... $1.59
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**New Luncheon Sets and Teacloths**
Stamped for Working
**Ivory Linen Luncheon Cloths**
45 inches square. Shown in cut work design with hemstitched edges for crochet. Price .... $2.60
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With four serviettes stamped for cut work, hemstitched edge for crochet; four serviettes to match. Priced at .... $2.85
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| Slop Bowls, each | 25¢ |
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**Tub Frocks of Plain and Novelty Broadcloths, $3.75**
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Hand Towels with blue and red borders. Size 16 by 33. Buy now for future use. Price, each.... 25¢
**Linen Luncheon Sets**
These sets consist of one cloth, 52 by 52, and six 14 by 14 napkins, finished with blue and gold borders. Per set.... $2.98
**Unbleached Sheets**
Made from a heavy cotton that will give lots of wear. Size 72 by 90. Price, each.... $1.55
Size 80 by 90. Price, each .... $1.79
**Pure Linen Tablecloths**
Pure Linen Tablecloths of a splendid Irish make; woven in popular patterns.
Size 72 by 72. Price .... $4.98
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With 14 carat gold nibs, clip or ring style. Special at .... 89¢
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Ideal for school or play wear. Medium weight balbriggan, in blue, brown and fawn, with contrasting cuffs and collar; sizes 4 to 14 years. Price.... 50¢
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Short but useful lengths of dependable drapery fabrics, including marquisettes, voiles, nets, scrims, cretonnes, casement cloth, velours, etc. Today.....Half Price
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| and | 50¢ |
| Cod Liver Extract Tonic, Wampole's, at | $1.00 |
| Woodbury's Cold and Vanishing Creams at | 50¢ |
| La Belle Creams, double size; 75c value for | 57¢ |
| Glycerine and Rose Water, with carbolic; 25c value | 17¢ |
| Bromi Quinine Cold Tablets | 23¢ |
| Gin Pills, 50c value | 34¢ |
| Gillette Blades, $1.00 value | 74¢ |

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| Colman's D.S.F. Mustard, per tin | 15¢, 30¢, 55¢ and $1.00 |
| Robertson's Ginger Marmalade, 16-oz. jar | 40¢ |
| Certo, concentrated fruit pectin, per bottle | 35¢ |
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| Sirloin Steak, per lb. | 33¢ |
| Mutton Chops, per lb. | 45¢ |

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# Society and Women's Affairs

**Holds Jubilee Reception**

The Rev. J. H. White, D.D., who is well known in ecclesiastical circles in Victoria, was given a reception at the Chown United Church, Vancouver, on Sunday. On behalf of his fellow-ministers and friends, of Vancouver, he was presented with a framed illuminated address by the Rev. A. E. Roberts. Rev. Dr. White entered the ministry in 1876 in Ontario. He came to British Columbia the following year and for twenty years was superintendent of missions for the former Methodist Church, retiring last year.

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**Tea at Empress Hotel**

Mrs. Saults entertained at tea yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel in honor of her mother, Mrs. J. Gillis. The guests included Mrs. J. L. Dunlop, Mrs. J. R. McLaren, Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, Mrs. W. H. Ozard, Mrs. C. H. Walker, Mrs. E. Pendray, Mrs. McClimont, Mrs. A. L. Robb; Mrs. Richardson, of Shanghai; Mrs. Sinclair, Mrs. H. Currie, Mrs. C. P. Kinney, Mrs. Drummond-Hay, Mrs. Mesheland and Miss Ellery.

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**Christened at Cathedral**

On Sunday afternoon the infant son of Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Homer Dixon, Moss Street, was christened by the Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, Dean of Columbia. The child received the names Douglas Fraser Homer, the godparents being Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phillips, of Winnipeg, and Mr. Leslie Cameron, of Vancouver.

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**Canadian Club Garden Party**

Mrs. R. P. Butchart has placed her lovely gardens at the disposal of the Women's Canadian Club for a garden party on June 2. Miss Lillian Michaelis is arranging a programme of dances by her pupils, and afternoon tea will be served. All members of the club and their friends are invited to attend.

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**Home Economics Exhibition**

The students of the Normal School will entertain the teachers of the city on Friday afternoon at the annual exhibition of home economics, primary art and handwork. During the afternoon tea will be served, and all interested are invited to attend.

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**Left for Motor Trip**

Mr. Stanley F. Brundell, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. P. H. Paterson, of 1605 Bank Street, for the last two months, left on Monday to motor to Arrow Lakes. He was accompanied by Mrs. Paterson and Miss Geraldine Paterson.

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**Party for New York Visitors**

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill entertained at another little dinner party last evening complimentary to Dr. and Mrs. Totten and Dr. Stephens, of New York. There were also present Major and Mrs. Niven, the Misses Galt and Mr. J. P. Babcock.

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**Holiday in City**

Miss Phyllis Presby, of Kerrisdale, and Mr. Donald Sinclair, of Vancouver, have returned to their homes after spending a holiday with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sinclair, Savoy Mansions.

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**Returned From Qualicum**

Capt. Merston, Mr. Maurice Carmichael, Mr. Harry Crane and Mr. Alan Watts-Jones returned on Monday evening from Qualicum, where they spent the week-end.

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**At Devonshire House**

Among the week-end visitors at Devonshire House were Miss Girdlestone, Miss C. McLennan and the Misses S. and A. McLean, all of Vancouver.

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**Returned From Shawnigan**

Mrs. W. S. Duncan and Miss Duncan, of Hampshire Road, Oak Bay, have returned from Shawnigan Lake Hotel, where they have been spending several weeks.

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**Returns to Vancouver**

Miss Effie Alexander, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Alexander, 1169 Oscar Street, has returned to Vancouver.

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**Returned From Seattle**

The Misses Marjorie and Florence Oates, who have been spending a few days in Seattle, returned to the city yesterday.

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**At Oak Bay Hotel**

Mrs. G. V. Ryder and her little grandson, John Yuill, have arrived from Seattle and are guests at the Oak Bay Hotel.

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**Here From Vancouver**

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hanbury, of Vancouver, who have been spending the week-end at the Oak Bay Hotel, have returned to the Mainland.

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**Santa Barbara Visitors**

Mrs. J. A. Wells and Mr. A. A. Wells, of Santa Barbara, have arrived from the South, and are guests at the Oak Bay Hotel for a short time.

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**Seattle Visitors Here**

Judge Stern and Mrs. Stern, of Seattle, are spending a holiday in Victoria, and are staying at the Oak Bay Hotel.

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**To Visit in Penticton**

Mrs. W. J. Cobbett, Shakespeare Street, is leaving today for Penticton on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Sutherland.

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**Leaving for England**

The Rev. T. M. Hughes, Mrs. Hughes and small son are leaving on Friday for an extended visit with relatives in England.

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**Week-End at Qualicum**

Maj. Selden Humphries and Mr. J. M. Hedley returned from Qualicum yesterday morning.

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**At James Bay Hotel**

Miss Marguerite Waldy, of Cowichan Bay, is spending a few days at the James Bay Hotel.

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**From Portland**

Mr. C. A. Senton, of Portland, Ore., is at the Oak Bay Hotel for three weeks.

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**Bridge Hostess**

Mrs. H. A. Nunn entertained at a small bridge party last evening at her home on Davie Street.

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**At Empress Hotel**

Mr. and Mrs. Mayne D. Hamilton, of Vancouver, are spending a few days at the Empress Hotel.

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**Home From Vancouver**

Mr. Harry McKay, of 617 Michigan Street, has returned from spending several weeks in Vancouver.

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**On Business Trip**

Mr. D. F. Sprinkling, 55 Boyd Street, is spending a part of this week in Vancouver, on business.

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**Here From Toronto**

Mrs. C. S. Baxter, of Toronto, is visiting Mrs. A. S. Innes, Dallas Road.

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**Left for Seattle**

Miss McMullin left yesterday to spend a few days in Seattle.

## *Hospital W.A. to Assist Maternity Ward by Tag Day*

ON Saturday the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital will convene a tag day in aid of the new maternity ward of the hospital. The Balmoral Hotel will be the headquarters for taggers during the day, and the committee in charge makes an earnest appeal to the public for support in its undertaking. It is hoped that the tag day will add considerably to the fund for this worthy object.

## *Young People to Meet*

The St. John's Anglican Young People's Association will hold its final social tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of Miss Harris, 1702 Belmont Avenue.

"This is my only child, little Margarine."

"Gracious! What a name!"

"Well, you see, I haven't any but her!"

## *Mexican President's Daughter in the U.S.*

MISS ERNESTINE CALLES

Daughter of the President of Mexico, who is on a visit to the United States.

## *Women's Clubs And Societies*

**Successful Bazaar**

A very enjoyable bazaar and sale of work was held in St. Luke's Parish Hall, on Saturday, at which a hearty welcome was given to the rector, the Rev. William Carroll and Mrs. Carroll, on their return from their holiday in California. The bazaar was opened by Mrs. Jones, of New Zealand, the first life member in the W.A., and a very pleasing little incident was the presentation to her of a beautiful bouquet of roses by Miss Evelyn Sutton. The following ladies were in charge of the various stalls: Mrs. Hallier and Mrs. Miller, fancy work; Mrs. Offerhaus and Mrs. Clarke, home cooking; Mrs. Kingsberry and Mrs. Bradshaw, ice cream; Miss Bradshaw, candy; Mrs. Shaw, generous goose. Afternoon tea was in the capable hands of Mrs. Mildenhall.

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**Welcome Club Meeting**

The Welcome Club will meet tomorrow at the Y.W.C.A., when supper will be served at six o'clock. This meeting will take the form of a social, and an enjoyable evening is expected as a good programme is being arranged.

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**Auxiliary Meeting**

The Tuberculous Veterans' Association Women's Auxiliary will hold its monthly meeting tomorrow afternoon in the "Y" parlor at 2:30 o'clock. Every member is asked to be present.

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**Jubilee Hospital W.A.**

The monthly meeting of the Jubilee Hospital Women's Auxiliary will be held today at 2:30 at the Nurses' Home.

## *Fashions and Foibles*

By Shirley Sharon

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There is this to be said for lace—it finishes itself in a straight skirt and trims itself throughout. It is light, it is lovely, it suggests great elegance and yet costs no more than a fine print. It is extraordinarily becoming and gives twice the effect with half the work that you have to put on a plain fabric. The laces that are being used this Summer are the fine silk laces and are usually dyed. The frock illustrated was made in a very exquisite shade of blond, with ribbon flowers in nasturtium colors at the hip. The same style is extremely smart for races and weddings made in the beige laces with long sleeves of georgette.

## DANCE PROVES SUCCESSFUL FEATURE

**First of Season Held Under Auspices of West Saanich Athletic Association**

BRENTWOOD, May 22.—The first dance of the season given under the auspices of the West Saanich Athletic Association on Friday evening was an outstanding event.

About one hundred and twenty-five people were present. Harry Estlins' five-piece orchestra provided a programme of the latest music, which was greatly enjoyed by the guests.

The hall was prettily decorated with paper festoons in the club colors. The dining-room also looked very pretty with masses of flowers.

The committee in charge of the affair was: Supper, Mrs. Anderson and Mr. Vic Raines; hall committee, Messrs. H. Tubman and W. Anderson, and they are to be congratulated on the success of the affair.

The next dance will be held on Wednesday evening, with Fitts' orchestra. Dancing from 9 to 1 a.m.

## NATIONAL CHAPTER TO MEET AT SAINT JOHN

**I.O.D.E. Meeting Will Be Attended by Delegates From All Parts of Dominion**

The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the National Chapter of Canada, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, will be held at Saint John, N.B., from June 7 to 12, the session taking place in the ballroom of the Admiral Beatty Hotel. Quite a large number of delegates will go from Montreal.

According to the agenda prepared, Monday morning, June 7, will be devoted to preliminary committee meetings, and the opening ceremonies will take place on Monday night, when the address of welcome will be made by Mrs. Heber Vroom, regent of the Municipal Chapter of Saint John, N.B. The reply on behalf of the delegates will be given by Mrs. R. C. Marshall, president of the Provincial Chapter of Alberta. The National president, Miss R. M. Church, of Toronton, will address the meeting. The programme for Tuesday morning includes reports of National Chapters—Newfoundland, Bahamas and Bermuda; reports of primary chapters under National jurisdiction—Yukon Territory and Prince Edward Island; reports of affiliated societies—Imperial Order Daughters of the British Empire in the United States, and Victoria League; report of the secretary of committee for work in India; and reports of the Navy League and the League of Nations Society committees. On Tuesday afternoon the National officers will give their reports, and the reports of the Provincial Chapters will also be given. The report of the committee on the constitution and a discussion on administration will come up on Tuesday night.

Committees on immigration, child welfare, and other activities of the order will be given on Wednesday morning, when the national director of I.O.D.E. Girl Guide companies will also make her report. Balloting for national councillors and a conference on the policy and national problems of the order will take place on Wednesday afternoon. The finance committee will report on Thursday morning, and the war memorial committee in the afternoon, while a feature of the evening session will be the delegates' conference and answers to the question box. The national educational secretary will give her report at Friday morning's session, and election of officers will follow the scrutineers' report in the afternoon. Resolutions will be brought forward by the committee on resolutions at one or two of the sessions.

Among social affairs being arranged are: A dinner by invitation of the Municipal Chapter of Saint John, at the Admiral Beatty Hotel on Wednesday night; a motor drive and tea at Riverside Golf Club by invitation of Mrs. George K. MacLeod and Mrs. Sherwood Skinner, on Thursday afternoon, and a motor drive and tea at Westfield Golf Club.

## OFFICERS ELECTED OF LADIES' MUSICAL CLUB

**Mrs. J. O. Cameron Is President of Local Organization—Elected at Second Annual Meeting**

A secondary meeting of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club, deferred from the annual meeting held last week, was held yesterday afternoon in the clubroom of the Y.W.C.A. when, under the chairmanship of Mrs. MacClure, the officers for the season of 1926-27 were elected and listed as follows:

President, Mrs. J. O. Cameron; first vice-president, Mrs. W. G. Wilson; second vice-president, Mrs. Forrest Leeder; secretary, Mrs. F. G. Aldous; treasurer, Mrs. Richard Nash; convener programme committee, Mrs. D. B. McConnan; executive committee, Mrs. S. MacClure, Mrs. Gideon Hicks, Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Mrs. Forrest Leeder, Mrs. Jesse Longfield, Mrs. F. G. Aldous, Mrs. D. E. Campbell, Mrs. Hebden Gillespie, Mrs. B. H. Tyrwhitt Drake, Mrs. E. C. Senkler, Mrs. J. O. Cameron, Mrs. D. B. McConnan, Mrs. Richard Nash.

## *Your Birthday*

MAY 26.—You are light-hearted, merry, and exuberant, fond of play and amusement, and take great pains to please people. You are affectionate, enthusiastic over new friends, and at times passionate and excitable. Try to control a tendency to fault-finding and jealousy, and never listen to spiteful remarks.

Your birthstone is an emerald, which means success in love.

Your flower is a lily.

Your lucky colors are red and yellow.

## MUNICIPAL CLUB MAY BE FORMED TO TAKE OVER COURTS

In order to give the public the best use of the tennis courts at the Memorial Park in Esquimalt, the council has authorized the clerk to write to the various women's clubs and other organizations in the municipality putting forward a scheme that it is hoped will work for the benefit of all.

The proposition will be put forward to these organizations that if they will form a sort of Municipal Tennis Club to take over the courts, the council will lease these to them at $15 a month for each of the two courts.

By this method it is hoped that an arrangement will be made so that the courts will be made available for younger players and for those who may be learning the game.

This decision followed the recommendation of the park committee at the council last evening. After some slight alterations in the report, it was adopted in the form given.

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| Pure Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin | 49c | Or 3 lbs. for | $1.55 |
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## *Y.M.C.A. Annual Meeting To Be Held Friday Night*

The annual meeting of the Y.M.C.A. will be held on Friday night at the association headquarters, commencing at 6:15 o'clock. Supper will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary. Important business concerning the operation of the local institution will be discussed and a big attendance of members is requested.

# "Doors of Destiny"

By CONSTANCE BROMLEY

Synopsis

Hope Sterling, a young actress, gets her first part in a play by a budding dramatist named Brian Charteris. So fully does Hope throw herself into her part that she gains a great success and arouses the envy of Magda Tempest, the leading lady, who treats her with unconcealed disdain. There is an accident on the stage, a hammer dropped from above knocking Hope senseless.

Michael Golding, an odd-job man at the theatre, had formerly been employed as chauffeur by Harding. Magda's husband. Magda hated her husband, and tempted Michael to tamper with the motor car, so that Harding, who drove it, was killed. Then she ousted her deliverer and drove him to ruin.

CHAPTER IV (Continued)

Hope had hardly finished dressing the following morning when an open car drew up at her lodgings, and Maidie Bright sprang out and rang the bell. Mrs. Miggs, the landlady, at once showed her up to Hope's room.

"Hello! old dear, are you ready? Tony's waiting outside in the car. Had your breakfast."

"Yes," smiled Hope. "Mrs. Miggs brought it up to me quite early this morning."

"Then we can start right away. When old Stoneleigh asked me how we'd like to travel down, I plumped for a car for you and me and Tony. I thought you'd like that best."

"Oh, yes, rather," answered Hope.

"Not that there'd be any fear of his calling for you. Magda Tempest is always queen on these excursions, and he will be driving down with her, as usual, in the limousine."

"What a glorious day!" exclaimed Hope, as she pinned on her hat.

"Great! What a pity Mr. Charteris isn't coming. Doesn't it strike you as queer his being left out?"

"I don't think he was particularly keen to go," answered Hope evasively.

When they reached the houseboat after a glorious run in the car, they found the rest of the company already gathered there, bent on enjoying themselves. Hope was amazed at the luxury everywhere displayed, and was shown over the floating palace by Maidie, who had been down before on previous occasions.

"I'll bet this boat cost a fortune," Maidie remarked, as they inspected some tapestries let into the panels in the dining saloon.

"Here, that's enough," chipped in Tony, jokingly. "You've got to remember you're going to marry a poor actor!"

"What's that got to do with it? You don't suppose I'd marry a man like Stoneleigh even if I had the chance, do you?"

"I should hope not, though he's not the marrying sort, anyway, so you're quite safe."

"Don't be an ass, Tony," returned Maidie, grinning.

The day passed swiftly and eventfully, and to Hope's relief Lord Stoneleigh appeared content to devote his attentions to Magda, leaving her free to amuse herself as she pleased. It was not until dinner time that anything occurred to disturb her peace of mind. It was then she observed she had been placed next Lord Stoneleigh at the table, in the seat of honor. If Magda felt any annoyance at this, however, she managed to conceal it.

Lord Stoneleigh made himself very agreeable and presently led the conversation round to Brian Charteris, much to Hope's discomfort.

"The play has a very good chance of success," he said, watching with faint amusement the light flash into Hope's eyes.

"Oh, I do hope it will be a very great success," replied Hope, with enthusiasm.

"I wonder if, in that event, our young author will see fit to reveal his real identity?"

"His real identity?" echoed Hope in a puzzled tone.

"Why yes. Didn't you know that the name 'Brian Charteris' is only an assumed one?"

"No!"

"Well, that is the case, but one never knows. There may be reasons why Charteris wishes to hide himself under a name other than his own."

Hope looked at the cold grey eyes as they rested mockingly on her, above the hard sneering mouth. Something in Lord Stoneleigh's manner struck a chill to her heart.

"I'm sure they are very good ones, then," she returned stoutly.

"Oh," no doubt," laughed Lord Stoneleigh.

"He is the last man to have done anything of which he need be ashamed!" declared Hope.

"He is fortunate to have such a champion of his—honor," sneered Lord Stoneleigh.

"Brian Charteris can look after his own honor, I am sure of that," said Hope, anger against the Earl burning in her heart.

"He may be able to do so—now—but there was a time when he was not so—careful."

He spoke in a low voice, so that the others could not overhear him.

"I consider it my duty to tell you that Brian Charteris fled this country ten years ago for a serious offence. That is why he has come back to England under an assumed name. He dare not use his own."

Hope felt as though a cold hand gripped her heart, yet all the time she felt this man was lying—lying for his own ends. She believed Brian to be the soul of honor and it would take more than a man of Lord Stoneleigh's character to disillusion her.

She met his hard eyes unflinchingly.

"Don't you think," she asked cuttingly, "that whatever it is, it's his affair—not ours?"

For an instant Stoneleigh had the grace to look uncomfortable.

"Quite so—if you wish it," he said.

Magda watched them jealously. It did not escape her notice that Jasper Stoneleigh was adopting a deferential tone in his conversation, and a courtesy in his bearing that he did not trouble himself always to do with members of her profession. However, she might have overlooked that but for something else which happened.

Lord Stoneleigh rose to propose a toast to the success of the new production, and in his remarks, coupled the name of Hope Sterling. Standing, glass in hand, he said:

"We all wish 'Doors of Destiny' a prosperous run, and if I many say so, the Crown Theatre has, in its newest and youngest actress, a valuable addition to the company."

Youngest actress! Could anything be more calculated to enrage a woman like Magda? Already jealous of the attention Hope had received from the man she loved—as much as she could love any man—she was now faced with the prospect of her popularity being assailed by this chit of a girl! She was furious with Stoneleigh! What on earth did he want to make an exhibition of himself for?

The rest of the company were too merry to notice her lack of enthusiasm, and all echoed Lord Stoneleigh's sentiments regarding Hope in the usual manner. Magda cast a look at the Earl which should have warned him; but the truth was, he was a little excited by the amount of wine he had taken and Magda's looks made absolutely no impression upon him, even if he had observed them, which was doubtful.

Dinner over, the company scattered in twos and threes in search of amusement. Hope sat on the lower deck watching Maidie and Tony embark in a punt, which they were preparing to do amid the laughter and jokes of the company.

Magda, a diaphanous scarf flung round her beautiful shoulders, was watching the lights too. How the scene recalled other nights to her, when she and Stoneleigh had watched them alone together! Nights when his eyes had gazed into hers with the same expression she had seen in them when he toasted Hope Sterling!

Her head ached. She had taken more wine than was usual with her, and rage, jealousy and hatred—the hatred of an older woman for the girl who had supplanted her—filled her mind.

Was it too late to win back Jasper's love? Was he really drifting away from her?

She heard his laugh as he left the saloon and came out on deck. In the darkness she caught his arm.

"Jasper!" she said, "are you coming to look for me? Let's get away from these others, down there in a boat on the cool waters—somewhere among the shadows!"

Her voice dropped to a soft caressing note and her fingers entwined themselves lovingly in his.

"I'm afraid I can't," said Stoneleigh. "They are waiting for me in the saloon."

"You mean you won't! You are so obsessed with this new folly of yours, this craze for Hope Sterling—"

Stoneleigh's eyes blazed as he drew away from her.

"You'd better leave Miss Sterling's name out of this conversation, he said, dangerously.

"I wish I could leave her out of both our lives" exclaimed Magda passionately. "You loved me well enough until she came! Jasper! Don't you care still? You must! You can't have forgotten the wonderful times we've had here, on this very boat. Oh, you loved me then Jasper! You'd love me again, out there by ourselves on the river! Come! Let's go."

She slipped a bare arm about his neck and the scarf fell from her shoulders, revealing her beautiful, alluring.

Stoneleigh felt a faint quickening of his pulses. Magda's love was nothing to him now beside his passion for Hope, but he was always ready to gratify the impulse of the moment. His arms closed around her; the kiss that Magda's red, uplifted mouth invited might have been placed on her lips, when Hope Sterling's clear voice rang out from the other side of the deck.

"Lord Stoneleigh! Where are you? They're calling for you to come and play bridge!"

A quick change swept over his face. He thrust Magda aside hastily.

"I'll be there in one moment, Miss Sterling," he answered, and Magda Tempest knew in that instant that the careless spoken word of Hope Sterling meant more to him than all her pleadings.

Magda's heart was torn with a thousand conflicting emotions. The sound of the gramophone struck hideously on her ears. The laughter and dancing mocked her with its merriment! Oh, to get away from it all! Suddenly she felt very weary, and sought for a quiet place to rest her bruised spirit. The upper deck appeared deserted. She stumbled up the ladder leading to it, and sank down into an easy chair beside a small table, burying her aching head in her hands.

When she raised it presently, she saw that the servant had placed a tray containing liqueurs, brandy, and a soda syphon on the table for the use of the visitors. She poured out some brandy with shaking fingers and drained it at a gulp. The spirit ran like fire through her veins, stirring her numbed senses into active thought.

What could she do to regain her ascendency over Jasper Stoneleigh? He was infatuated with Hope Sterling! If, as seemed likely, the girl made a hit in the production on the following day, it would carry her still further into the Earl's favor. She needed—beside his love—his influence, his patronage. She well knew that if this were transferred to Hope her position as leading lady would no longer be the sinecure his wealth had made it. She ground her teeth in impotent rage.

The excitement of the past few days had been too much for Magda Tempest. Usually she was moderate in her use of stimulants, but tonight nothing that she took seemed to have any soporific effect, and she could not dull the edge of jealousy Lord Stoneleigh's conduct had sharpened. She drank another liqueur glassful of brandy, then another, tossing them down feverishly. Unable to rest longer in her chair, she rose and paced the deck with quick, restless movements—primitive woman, deprived of her mate!

Hope's frock, like a cloud of white in the darkness below, caught her eyes from where she stood, peering down from the upper deck. Her fevered eyes pierced the gloom and traced the soft outlines of the young girl's figure beneath the gown's soft folds. She realized with bitterness that Hope possessed the one great talisman—Youth! which she had lost. Oh, these men! Ever seeking the new, the fresh! Jasper Stoneleigh was right. What chance had she against youth and beauty when these were thrown in the scale against her? She knew enough of men and their ways to know . . . not much!

As she leaned over the white-painted deck rail, gazing at the girl who threatened her supremacy, she felt it suddenly yield beneath the slight pressure of her hand, and quickly withdrew. She then discovered that the nails which had secured it to its fellow had rusted away, and that a touch would cause it to collapse. Her eyes looked beyond, down into the dark waters. She saw the long green reeds in the lights from the boat, as they were drawn by the swift current into wraith-like, twisting forms beneath the surface. Deadly reeds! Like tentacles of some remorseless creature stretching slimy fingers out towards its prey!

Her brow grew damp with the thoughts that rushed into her burning brain. Anyone leaning however lightly against that rail would be precipitated into the river below! From that height they would crash right into those devilish weeds, perhaps never to rise! She watched them, fascinated; now twisted into fantastic green shapes as a canoe glided by and gently rippled the face of the water. Someone switched on an electric light in the smoking-room, and the reflection from its red silk shade suddenly dyed the spot the color of blood!

In that moment Magda's brain saw 'red' too. Bending over, controlling her voice with an effort, she called out to the still figure in the white gown.

"It's much cooler up here, Miss Sterling! Why not come up? . . . The river looks so pretty from this deck."

Hope rose, and glanced up to where Magda stood. The words were so much an invitation that she could hardly ignore them. She turned and commenced to climb the ladder that ran from the lower to the upper deck. She did not observe the canoe which shot alongside, close to the spot where she had been sitting, and in which sat the figure of a young man whose face gleamed for an instant in the lights from the houseboat, then passed into the shadows beyond the circle of light. Neither did Magda see him, as she walked to the top of the steps where Hope awaited her. She put an arm through the girl's effusively, and led her over to the little table.

"Have anything to drink?"

Hope shook her head.

Magda laughed shortly.

"Oh, I forgot! You don't indulge. A cigarette, then?" and she proffered some in a silver box from the table at her side.

Hope took a cigarette, and Magda struck a match from which she lighted her own and Hope's. For one brief second the young man in the canoe plainly saw their faces illumined by the pale yellow light from the flaming match.

Smoking, the two turned and walked up and down the deck. Magda's heart was beating suffocatingly. Skilfully she manoeuvered a halt just in front of the defective rail. Negligently, chatting carelessly to Hope, she half sat upon the adjoining barrier, and pointed down into the stream.

"What did I tell you about the view up here?" she asked, swinging one foot with an elaborate air of carelessness. "Isn't it beautiful?"

"Very," replied Hope, gazing down at the water scintillating with a thousand points of light. "It is beautiful."

She blew a puff of cigarette smoke from her lips, and leaned down to look at the river, her body bent in a graceful curve.

The moment she rested her hands on the rail it broke beneath her weight, and with a loud scream she fell headlong into the water below!

(To Be Continued)

## *Fashions and Foibles*

By Shirley Sharon

Abbreviation remains the short cut to French chic. Women who are young enough, slim enough and neither over-tall nor under-short, wear their frocks almost to the knee. If the legs are very long such brevity is startling, while in the opposite case the short frock has a too childish air. The fact remains that, for those who can wear it, the short skirt is extremely smart. It is no longer measured in inches, but every woman decides how far she can follow the mode. Circular skirts, like the one illustrated, can be quite short, for they don't ride up when one walks or sits down. It is wise to try them both ways before binding off the lower edge.

## *Fashion Fancies*

By Marie Belmont

The youthful evening frock which is accompanied by a cape to match, makes a lovely ensemble for the young girl in her 'teens, or just out of them.

Above is shown such a costume, which strikes a distinctive note in its choice of deep wine red for the color, and soft georgette and crisp taffeta for the materials.

The frock has a simple rounded neckline, finished by fine cording of the taffeta, while the full skirt has tiers of taffeta ruffles arranged in scallyped formation. The yoke is shirred, and a puff of taffeta makes the collar.


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## *Roadhouse Keeper Killed*

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, May 25.—Advices received here said that Adolph Smith, an Alaskan character of the early days, who operated a roadhouse between Kanatak and Pearl Dome, in the oilfields south of here, was killed Sunday night during an altercation with Tony Perich, a tractor driver who was staying overnight at the roadhouse. Perich was held at Kanatak awaiting arrival of a deputy United States marshal from Kodiak, Alaska.


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VANCOUVER VICTORIA


## *Veteran Preacher Dies*

TORONTO, May 25.—Rev. J. C. Wilson, a former president of the Bay of Quinte conference of the Methodist Church, died yesterday at the home of his daughter here in his eighty-seventh year. He had been forty-four years in the active ministry prior to his superannuation.


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# NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

## Noble's Homer Spoils Eagles' Chances to Win

### Traveler's Chucker Practically Cinches Own Game by Slapping Out Circuit Clout With Two Men On—Birdmen Show Improved Form and Should Be Heard From Shortly—Samplemen Meet Sons

**League Standing**

| | P. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sons of Canada | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| U. C. T. | 2 | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| Eagles | 2 | 0 | 2 | .000 |

Jack Noble's homer, with two on, in the second inning threw ice-cold water on the Eagle's chances of breaking into the win column in the senior amateur ball tilt played last night at the Royal Athletic Park. Noble caught hold of one of Storch's fast ones and drove it over the left field fence to score his second four-base hit of the season and help the Travelers to win by a score of 8 to 4.

Last night's game showed the birdmen to be improved about one hundred per cent. Their play had more snap in it, but they let some costly errors creep in which added materially to the samplemen's score sheet.

The birdmen broke into the scoring column during the first session when Ross Oatman was safe on Noble's wild throw to first, to score when Roy Copas let Taylor's burning grounder through his legs. Gandy walked to get two men on the sacks with nobody away, but Noble pulled himself together and breezed three men in a row. In the second they added another when Givens walked, pinched second and made home on Storch's single to left.

**Noble Hits a Homer**

Four runs were credited to the samplemen in the last of the second. Colin Campbell laid down a bunt to beat it out by yards, but was nipped at third when he tried to stretch Fetherstone's single for two bases. Cottet drove a hot one to left, scoring Fetherstone and ending on second. Bowden walked and Noble took Storch's first ball and put it over left-field fence, scoring Fetherstone and Bowden in front of him.

The balloon went up in the Eagles' camp in the third, and before the wrecking crew of the Travelers was retired they had forced Storch to the showers. Fetherstone was safe on a Texas leaguer to right. More beat out a bunt, advancing Fetherstone to second. Cottet walked, packing the bags, Bowden walked, forcing Fetherstone home. Percy Ross was called to help and relieved Storch.

**Ross Starts Well**

Ross fanned two of the samplemen in a row and looked as if he was going to pull his team out of a hole, but he tried to nip a man at second, pegged wild and let More get over with another run. Cottet scored when Oatman juggled Richards' peg of Copas' grounder, and Bowden did likewise when Wachter tried to cover short but failed and missed Minnis' grounder. Campbell filed out to left, retiring the side.

The birdmen looked like starting a rally in the sixth, but could not do better than score two runs. Wachter hit safely, stole second and scored on Givens' single to centre. Givens scored when Roy Copas hurled Rossi's grounder wide to first. Two men fanned the breeze to retire the side. The game was called in the seventh.

Noble worked for the samplemen and pitched fine ball. At times he was a bit wild but was steady most of the way and allowed only four safe hits. He struck out seven. Six hits were gathered off Storch in three innings, while Ross allowed only one in a similar number.

Jack Noble and Harold Fetherstone led the hitters, each connecting with two safeties out of three trips to the rubber. None of the birdmen connected with more than one.

BOX SCORE

**Eagles**

| | A.B. | R. | H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oatman, 1b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 |
| Taylor, r.f. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| G. Gandy, l.f. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Richards, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Post, s.s. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Wachter, 3b. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Givens, c.f. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Rossi, c. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Storch, p. | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ross, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Total | 28 | 4 | 4 | 18 | 9 | 3 |

**U. C. T.**

| | A.B. | R. | H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Turpel, c.f. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Copas, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Minnis, s.s. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| C. Campbell, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Fetherstone, 1b. | 3 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| More, r.f. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cottet, l.f. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowden, c. | 1 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Noble, p. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Total | 25 | 8 | 7 | 21 | 8 | 3 |

| Score by innings: | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Eagles | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —4 |
| U. C. T. | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | — | —8 |

**Summary**

Home run, Noble. Stolen bases, Oatman, Taylor, Richards, Wachter. Bases on balls, off Noble, 3; Storch, 4. Struck out, by Noble, 7; Storch, 1; Ross, 2. Hit by Pitcher, Wachter by Noble. Passed balls, Bowden, 2. Left on bases, Eagles, 7; U.C.T., 3. Six hits off Storch in three innings, one hit off Ross in three innings. Time of game, 1 hour, 23 minutes. Umpire, "Allie" McGregor.

**Sons Meet Travelers**

On Thursday night the Travelers will hook up with the Sons in their second meeting of the season, and a real treat is promised the fans. In the first encounter the Natives managed to slip over a win on the samplemen in a furious ninth inning rally. Their win is still sticking in the crop of the Travelers and they will be out in strength to avenge this defeat.

## Runners-Up for Hayward Soccer Trophy

THE Tillicums' Wednesday football eleven. Although failing to win championship or trophy this season, the Tillicums have always made a fine showing and been right in the game from start to finish. The names of the team pictured above are from left: Back row, H. M. Barber, manager; MacMillan, referee; Bissell, Hocking, Bob Peden, D. Fletcher, B. Hall, A. Hewison; front, Patterson, Tooby, Armstrong, Capt. Owens, Denton and T. Peden.

## Australians Beat Oxford By More Than an Innings

### University Batsmen Do Little Better in Second Innings, but Fail to Get On Terms With Their Opponents From Down Under

OXFORD, May 25.—The Oxford University cricket eleven were defeated by the Australians in a three-day match played here, the Australians winning by an innings and thirteen runs. This was the second victory scored by the visitors in the course of their present tour, their previous "victims" being Hampshire. In the six other matches played, five have been drawn and one abandoned.

The Australians' record so far reads: Minor counties, drawn; Leicester, drawn; Essex, abandoned, rain; Hampshire, won; Surrey, drawn; the M. C. C., drawn; Cambridge University, drawn; Oxford University, won.

Tomorrow the tourists are scheduled to begin their game with the South of England, the match to be staged at Bristol.

The end of play yesterday found Oxford at bat for the second time. In the first innings the Dark Blues had marked up 131 and the Australians' response was 221. Going in for the second time the collegians had had two men disposed of, Serrurier and Stewart-Brown, with Holmes and Taylor not out for 91 runs.

**More Promising**

This looked much more promising than the initial innings, for both Holmes and Taylor had contributed considerably to the score and when they resumed today they were standing at 19 and 20, respectively. Unfortunately for the Dark Blues, Holmes had added only one more run when Gregory bowled him out. Further disaster loomed in front of Oxford when Legge succumbed to the same bowler at three, but at this juncture the heavy-scoring Stephenson took the bat. Stephenson had been top scorer for the Dark Blues in the first innings, running up 48, a figure that was exceeded in the whole game only by Andrews, of the Antipodeans. The burden of run getting was borne by Taylor and Stephenson and together they set themselves the rather hopeless task of wiping out their side's deficit. It was a case of the history of the first innings repeating itself, for these two had been the mainsprings of Oxford's defence.

**Gallant Effort**

The partnership was gallant but unavailing. Stephenson was in excellent form but the hard driving of Taylor overshadowed him. In one hour the two of them had contributed 52 and in that total was a six and three boundaries from Taylor's bat. Unfortunately Taylor's fortress was undermined by the tricky and insoluble bowling of Richardson, who eventually took his stumps when the Oxonian had rang up 59.

Thereafter there was little to the game. Stephenson went from a catch by Woodfull off Grimmett at 23 and the others were indifferent. The scores:

Oxford, first innings—131.

Oxford, second innings—

| | |
|---|---|
| Serrurier, c Gregory, b Mailey | 9 |
| Stewart-Brown, st Ellis, b Grimmett | 38 |
| Holmes, b Gregory | 20 |
| Taylor, b Richardson | 59 |
| Legge, b Gregory | 3 |
| Stephenson, c Woodfull, b Grimmett | 23 |
| Richardson, c Andrews, b Richardson | 6 |
| Butterworth, b Richardson | 0 |
| Abbell, c Ellis, b Richardson | 8 |
| Greenstock, b Richardson | 2 |
| McCanles, not out | 4 |
| Extras | 5 |
| Total | 177 |

**Bowling Analysis**

Oxford, second innings—Ryder, 0 for 22; Richardson, 5 for 34; Mailey, 1 for 57; Grimmett, 2 for 30; Gregory, 2 for 27.

Australia, First innings—321.

### *Cumberland Are Coast Champions*

VANCOUVER, May 25.—Cumberland, lately renamed Canadian Collieries, have annexed the championship of the Coast soccer league. This was made certain when St. Saviour's defeated Ladysmith, 8-3, at Jones' Park on Monday morning. Ladysmith had a chance to nose out the Cumberland aggregation, provided it beat St. Saviour's and the latter in turn downed Cumberland in the final game. Monday's result, however, settled the matter.

## INTERMEDIATE BALL OPENS UP TONIGHT

### Two Games Scheduled as Openers—Equally Matched Teams to Fight for Season Honors

Intermediate baseball will swing into action this evening when two first-class games will be staged by the league. At Beacon Hill the C.P.R. nine will take on the fast stepping Rock Bay team, while the 112th Battalion will be guests to the Y.M.C.A. squad. These are the first games of the season, and it is expected that a good crowd of fans will turn out to see the youngsters in action. Both tussles will be called at 6:30 p.m., and the managers of the respective teams are forewarned to see that their teams are out ready to play at the above stated time. Last season some fast, exciting contests were staged by the different teams in the division, and the race for the beautiful cup donated by Mr. Humphries proved close to the end. When all the teams had completed their schedule it was found that the Y.M.C.A. and C.P.R. were tied for first honors, so it was decided to play a series of games to determine the winner. In this the Y.M.C.A. team came out on the long end and took possession of the championship for one year.

On looking over the teams that are entered this year, everything points to as keen a finish as the year before, as all the teams seem equally as strong as one another when it comes to hitting and fielding the ball. The Y.M.C.A. are out to annex the title again, but they are going to have their work cut out for them as the other three teams also have their eyes trained on the cup and the championship. This year's schedule has been divided into two halves. The first half will be completed by June 2, while the last half should be through by June 20. The winner of the first half will play the winner of the second half for the city championship in a series of games, the dates of which will be announced later.

The following is the schedule of the first half released by the officials:

May 20: C.P.R. vs. Rock Bay, at Beacon Hill; Y.M.C.A. vs. 112th Battalion, at Victoria High School.

May 29: Rock Bay vs. Y.M.C.A., at Beacon Hill; C.P.R. vs. 112th Battalion, at Victoria High School.

June 2: Rock Bay vs. 112th Battalion, at Victoria High School; Y.M.C.A. vs. C.P.R., at Beacon Hill.

## Harris and Holderness Only Big Guns Left In

### Roger Wethered Eliminated From British Amateur Golf Championship by Robert Scott—Bob Gardner, American Walker Cup Captain, and George Von Elm Among the Fallen—Jones Survives

MUIRFIELD, Scotland, May 25.—Great Britain had two big guns left after the smoke of battle had cleared over Muirfield links today, and the second round of the British Amateur championship golf tournament was over. Counted out was Roger Wethered, long a star of amateur ranks, who went to join Cyril Tolley and Major C. O. Heslett, falling before the mashie of Robert Scott, jr., 3 and 2. There now remain of outstanding British golfers still in the running for the title, the defending champion, Robert Harris, and Sir Ernest Holderness, who twice won the event.

The forces of the invaders suffered heavy casualties in the second day's play. Among the fallen were Bob Gardner, of Chicago, captain of the United States Walker Cup team; Roland MacKenzie, sensational Washington youngster, and George Von Elm, of Los Angeles.

**Gardner Out**

Gardner was beaten badly today and MacKenzie lost his second round match at the nineteenth hole. Von Elm was downed by his Walker Cup team mate, Francis Ouimet, of Boston. But Bobby Jones and Watts Gunn, of Atlanta, and Jess Sweetser, of New York, members of the team, were victorious in their matches today.

The rout of Gardner, 3 and 2, by H. M. Dixon, of Glasgow, was a staggering blow to the Americans, as it was Gardner, who, in 1920, at Muirfield, went through to the finals, where he was defeated at the thirty-seventh hole by Tolley. Tolley was eliminated from this tournament in his first round test yesterday.

**Pleased Britishers**

Ouimet's 3 and 2 defeat of Von Elm was received with enthusiasm by the British, although they regard the Boston veteran as a dangerous man in any championship. He has invaded Britain three times, but has failed to gain the amateur crown. Von Elm was regarded as one of the "best bets," however.

JOHNNY WRIGHT

Popular amateur ice hockey and baseball player, whose death took place Monday morning after an illness which extended over a year. Johnny was well known in sporting circles and played with the Pacific, Tillicums and All-Star hockey teams. He was also a former member of the Eagles baseball team. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at at 2:30 o'clock, from the B.C. Funeral Chapel.

## TEX MUST REPORT PROGRESS TUESDAY

### NEW YORK STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION LOOKING FOR INFORMATION

**What About Dempsey's Match With Wills Is Question—Rickard Takes No Heed**

NEW YORK, May 25.—The New York State Athletic Commission today fixed next Tuesday as the date it will call on Tex Rickard for a definite report on his progress in matching Jack Dempsey and Harry Wills.

Rickard, who has secured agreements with Dempsey and Gene Tunney, had made no overtures to Wills in the thirty days given him by the commission to negotiate the match. Paddy Mullins, Wills' manager, says he has not been approached by Rickard and friends of the promoter assert the latter has no intention of signing Wills.

Payment of $13,000 to Georges Carpentier for his ten-round bout against Eddie Huffman, of California, last Friday, was withheld as the result of an attachment on the purse, secured by Italian Joe Gans. Gans claims money due him as sparring partner of the French boxer.

### *Calgary Race Results*

CALGARY, May 25.—Jockey Pelletier put over the greatest long shot of the Spring race meet when he piloted Hamp, a winner in the seventh race today. The mutuels paid $52.20 straight. Snow Maiden won the fifth race, Service Club purse, featura event, after a great dash down the stretch with Great Northern.

CALGARY, May 25.—Results of racing here today follow:

First race—Five furlongs: 1st, Esther Marie, 105, $32.00, $13.65, $7.10; 2nd, Amen, 102, $5.20, $5.00; 3rd, Crest, 116, $6.10.

Second race—Five furlongs: 1st, Cheerie, 109, $16.50, $6.80, $3.45; 2nd, Jiggs, 116, $7.95, $3.70; 2rd, Yorkshire Relish, 109, $2.65.

Third race—Five furlongs: 1st, Virginia Carlton, 104, $5.20, $3.40, $3.20; 2nd, Radiant Light, 112, $3.10, $2.65; 2rd, Lucky Hayes, 111, $6.30.

Fourth race—Five furlongs: 1st, Corto, 114, $5.70, $3.40, $2.45; 2nd, Shasta Rapids, 102, $6.40, $2.40; 3rd, San Freedman, 116, $2.60.

Fifth race—Six and half furlongs: 1st, Snow Maiden, 115, $16.80, $7.90, $3.20; 2nd, Great Northern, 109, $7.60, $3.20; 3rd, Double Spot, 114, $2.60.

Sixth race—Mile and sixteenth: 1st, Delectable II, 114, $4.85, $2.60, $2.40; 2nd, Al Wick, 106, $2.55, $2.20; 3rd, H. C. Basch, 105, $2.50.

Seventh race—Mile and sixteenth: 1st, Hamp, 106, $32.00, $14.00, $7.50; 2nd, Cadmus, 107, $7.10, $4.25; 3rd, Bernice, 104, $2.45.

**Overnight Entries**

First race—Four and half furlongs: Georgia S., 108; June Shot, 108; June, 101; War Salaam, 112; Olive Bun, 108.

Second race—Five furlongs: General Fryer, 105; Lucky Lou, 111; Potter's First, 111; Bill Finn, 106; Rose Roberts, 106; Springvale, 107; Dare, 110; Midnight Belle, 107.

Third race—Five furlongs: *Mungle, 105; Silent Weapon, 118; Alberta Lady, 101; Morning Orb, 106; Kingmaker, 103; *York Home, 107.

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Fourth race—Six and half furlongs: Gazinta, 109; Gold Boy, 106; Bugler, 106; Clallion, 104; Henry J., 106; Hannah Boy, 111; Walter H. Pierce, 104; Gold Crump, 106.

Fifth race—Six furlongs (citizens' handicap): Stump Jr., 105; Sunny Ways, 110; Sweetum, 106; Ruby, 106; Herod's Pride, 114; Rochester II, 106.

Sixth race—Five furlongs: Foy, 107; Senator Donlan, 106; April, 104; T. J. Pendergast, 104; Darrell's Favorite, 106; Lucky Hayes, 111; Sly Fox, 107; Paharabe Ann, 104.

Seventh race—Six and half furlongs: Railbird, 106; Irish Jury, 104; Miss Frauland, 109; Hot Muffins, 109; Norite Curl, 94; Billy Randolph, 106; Marine Corps, 114; Mayor House, 109.

### *Davis Cup Tennis*

PRAGUE, May 25.—France eliminated Czecho-Slovakia from the Davis Cup tennis competition today when Rene Lacoste and Jacques Brugnon beat Kozeluh and Zemla in the doubles 6-2, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2, 7-5.

### *League Baseball*

**Coast**

LOS ANGELES, May 25.—The league leading Los Angeles Angels celebrated their return home after a victorious three weeks' road trip by walloping the Hollywood Stars, 13 to 1, in the series opener here today. The Angels sewed up the struggle in the first inning, when they scored nine runs and drove Frank Shellenback to the cellar.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hollywood | 1 | 11 | 1 |
| Los Angeles | 13 | 17 | 0 |

Batteries—Shellenback, Hollerson and Peters; Crandall and Sandberg, Read.

SEATTLE, May 25.—Robert Hasty bested Speed Martin in a pitchers' battle today, although Martin allowed only four hits, Seattle winning the first game of a series with Sacramento, 2 to 2. The Senators collected twice as many hits off Hasty but were unable to score after the first inning when they crossed the plate twice.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sacramento | 2 | 8 | 2 |
| Seattle | 2 | 4 | 1 |

Batteries—Martin and Koehler; Hasty and E. Baldwin.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—The cellar-guarding Seals made an auspicious opening in this week's series by trouncing the Missions, San Francisco's second Coast League entry, 12 to 4. Free hitting by the Seals and a couple of home runs featured the game.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Missions | 4 | 9 | 5 |
| San Francisco | 12 | 15 | 2 |

Batteries—Pillette, Eckert, Chrystian and Murphy; Mitchell and Agnew.

PORTLAND, May 25.—Buzz Arlett's homer with the bases full in the eighth inning, just after Oakland had pushed across the first run of the game on Rool's double, a fielder's choice and Reese's single, broke up today's contest with Portland and the Oaks won 9 to 0.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oakland | 9 | 15 | 1 |
| Portland | 0 | 5 | 1 |

Batteries—Pruett and Rool, Payne and Tobin.

**American**

BOSTON, May 25.—By winning both ends of today's double-header with the Red Sox by scores of 5 to 3 and 5 to 4, the Yankees increased their consecutive victories to fifteen. There have been only two longer winning streaks in the American League, nineteen straight by the White Sox of twenty years ago and seventeen straight by Washington in 1912. The Athletics won fifteen in a row in 1912. "Babe" Ruth hung up his sixteenth home run of the season in the first game, giving him 325 for his twelve-year major league career.

| First Game— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 5 | 14 | 7 |
| Boston | 3 | 8 | 3 |

Batteries—Thomas, and Collins; Zahniser and Gaston.

| Second Game— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| Boston | 4 | 12 | 1 |

Batteries—Pennock and Collins; Ehmke, Ruffing and Bischoff.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—The Athletics and Washington split a double-header today that required almost five hours' playing. Washington won the first 17 to 12, by scoring eleven runs in the fifth inning. Philadelphia took the second game, 7 to 6. Walter French and Gordon Cochrane hit home runs in the second game.

| First Game— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Washington | 17 | 16 | 2 |
| Philadelphia | 12 | 17 | 5 |

Batteries—Coveleskie, Merriman, Marberry and Ruel; Grove, Gray, Baumgartner and Cochrane.

| Second Game— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Washington | 6 | 10 | 3 |
| Philadelphia | 7 | 7 | 2 |

Batteries—Ferguson and Severeid; Rommel, Gray and Cochrane.

DETROIT, May 25.—Blankenship and Leverette were pounded for twenty hits by Detroit today and Chicago was trampled before the Tiger charge, 9 to 2. Chicago's two runs were homers by Mostil and Sheeley.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 9 | 0 |
| Detroit | 9 | 20 | 0 |

Batteries—Blankenship, Leverette and Crouse; Stoner and Bassler.

CLEVELAND, May 25.—Pitcher George Uhle won his own game in the eleventh inning today when he drove a home run into the left field bleachers, scoring Lukeswell ahead of him, and defeating the St. Louis Browns, 6 to 4.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 4 | 12 | 2 |
| Cleveland | 6 | 11 | 2 |

Batteries—Zachary, Ballou and Hargraves; Uhle and C. Sawel.

**National**

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—The St. Louis Cardinals batted Luque off the hill in the fourth inning today and defeated the league leading Cincinnati Reds, 9 to 7, in the second game of the series.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 7 | 12 | 2 |
| St. Louis | 9 | 7 | 1 |

Batteries—Luque, Hollland and Hargrave; Kaen and O'Farrell.

CHICAGO, May 25.—"Jughandle" Johnny Morrison and Charley Root engaged in a pitchers' battle today, Morrison letting the Cubs down with six hits, while Pittsburgh was slugging opportunely to win, 3 to 2.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburgh | 5 | 8 | 1 |
| Chicago | 2 | 7 | 1 |

Batteries—Morrison and Gooch; Root and Gonzales.

NEW YORK, May 25.—The Giants celebrated their return to the Polo Grounds from a disastrous road trip by defeating Brooklyn twice today, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5. After Farrell won the first game for New York with a home run with the bases full, the Giants beat Grimes, the veteran Rabin ball-ball pitcher with a seventh-inning assault in the second game.

| First Game— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| New York | 5 | 5 | 0 |

Batteries—Barnes and O'Neill; Greenfield and Snyder.

| Second Game— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 5 | 12 | 2 |
| New York | 8 | 11 | 1 |

Batteries—Grimes, McWaeney and Hargraves; Scott and Florenz, McMullen.

**International League**

Rochester 6, Toronto 3.
Reading 8, Baltimore 10.
Jersey City 2, Newark 11.
Buffalo 1, Syracuse 2.

CLUB STANDINGS

**Coast**

| | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Los Angeles | 28 | 16 | .636 |
| Hollywood | 24 | 23 | .511 |
| Sacramento | 23 | 23 | .500 |
| Seattle | 24 | 24 | .500 |
| Oakland | 22 | 23 | .489 |
| Missions | 22 | 24 | .478 |
| Portland | 23 | 26 | .469 |
| San Francisco | 20 | 27 | .426 |

**American**

| | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 31 | 9 | .775 |
| Cleveland | 21 | 16 | .568 |
| Washington | 22 | 18 | .550 |
| Philadelphia | 21 | 18 | .538 |
| Chicago | 21 | 19 | .525 |
| Detroit | 19 | 18 | .514 |
| Boston | 11 | 26 | .297 |
| St. Louis | 9 | 24 | .273 |

**National**

| | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 24 | 13 | .649 |
| Chicago | 21 | 13 | .618 |
| Pittsburgh | 19 | 16 | .543 |
| Brooklyn | 18 | 16 | .529 |
| St. Louis | 20 | 19 | .513 |
| New York | 17 | 20 | .459 |
| Philadelphia | 13 | 21 | .382 |
| Boston | 10 | 24 | .294 |

### *Tattling Wins Feature At Toronto Track*

TORONTO, May 25.—Carrying the silks of J. K. L. Ross, Montreal sportsman, to their initial triumph at the Ontario Jockey Club's Spring meeting at Woodbine, Tattling captured the Breeder Stakes, which is conditioned for three-year-olds, foaled in Canada, at a mile and a sixteenth with $5,000 added money. This was the feature race on the programme today.

It was a banner day for the talent, no fewer than six public choices winning their respective races.

## SPENCERS TO PLAY TILLICUMS TONIGHT

### Meet for First Time This Season in Commercial Baseball Game at Athletic Park

Tonight at 6:30 o'clock at the Royal Athletic Park Spencers and the Tillicums Commercial baseball nines will meet for the first time this season. The former club is tied with the C.P.R. for the league leadership, and tonight they will be out to make their position safe while their rivals for the first position are idle. Spencers took the measure of Sidney in the league opener by a 3-2 score after a great sixth-inning rally, while the C.P.R. aided by two costly errors on the part of the Clubmen, gained a 9-1 victory.

Tonight the Tillicums will be out to avenge their defeat at the hands of the transportation company's representatives, and are entertaining fond hopes of claiming Spencers as their victims. Just what the battery will be for the Clubmen was not announced last night, but Spencers will have Donaldson to do the heaving, while Quinn will be at the receiving end. At Sidney this pitcher heaved a great game, allowing only two safeties. Tonight he will be out in rare form in an effort to stem the Tillicums' sluggers. Harold Fatherstone will call 'em safe on the bases.

Season tickets for the Commercial Baseball League will be available from the club managers in a few days. Kiddies' season tickets will also go on sale at a very small price.

### *The Derby Betting*

LONDON, May 25.—With the running of the historic Epsom Derby little more than a week away, Colorado continues to rule favorite in the betting at the short odds of 5 to 2 against. Coronach retains his position as second public choice at odds of 13 to 2 against.

**Doc Snell Beaten**

PORTLAND, Ore., May 25.—Doc Snell, of Wenatchee, who has been boosted as a contender for the world's featherweight championship, lost a ten-round decision to Frankie Britt, of Tacoma, in the main event here tonight.

## *Sportive Punches*

—By the "Old 'Un"—

When we ran an item in the sport page the other day about the hurling team coming from Ireland to tour the United States, one of the boys wanted to know what in hades a hurling team was.

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Was it anything like putting the weight or tossing the caber would we kindly tell him, and if so why did they do it in teams over there?

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**Well, a fellow scribe who is also an Irishman—that is an Irishman as well as a scribe—informs us that hurling is a pleasing combination of shinny and manslaughter!**

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And that "no insurance company will insure anybody who makes a practice of refereeing hurling games," and he quotes from the rules of the game just to give you an idea of the sport, thusly:

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"No player shall strike another with deliberation, nor threaten to do so under any circumstances, **unless unduly provoked**; and any player considering himself purposely injured shall report it to the referee IF AVAILABLE."

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**What a soft time these baseball umpires and soccer referees do have to be sure!**

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There's a game where the shillelagh appears to have more weight than the final court of appeal as in modern Association football played on this side of the Atlantic Ocean.

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And we take it you don't have to wait a matter of weeks to find out who are really the champions after a game has been played and won, the customary protest made and numerous appeals heard.

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When by the time the last replay has been played and the last appeal decided the average man has forgotten what it was all about, who were the players and what they were playing for, and doesn't care very much.

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That is unless he combines a taste for a combination of football, amateur debating and marine law.

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**What on earth happened to our cricket batsmen on Saturday?**

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Surely our bowlers have not developed such extraordinary and astonishing skill all of a sudden as to be able to trundle out good batsmen as cheaply as all the Victoria sides were trundled out this last week-end?

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Looks as if there was an urgent need of a great deal more practice at the nets. No cricketer is so good that he can go without that and still make decent scores in matches.

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**Judging from what the local batsmen have been doing lately against the local bowlers and what the Australian batsmen have been doing against some of the first-class English bowlers, what kind of a game could we hope to give the men from down under if they played here in their way home after the English tour?**

**Let's get out to the nets and practice!**

# SCORING HEAVY IN COUNTY CRICKET

**TOTALS OF MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED COMMON IN THIS WEEK'S MATCHES**

**Kent Makes 568 for Eight Wickets—Notts Amass 473 for Seven Against Surrey**

LONDON, May 25.—Heavy scoring was the feature of the county cricket matches which were completed today. The results follow:

Essex vs. Worcester—Essex 333 and 78 for no wickets; Worcester 151 and 353.

Kent vs. Hampshire—Kent 568 for eight wickets, declared, and 4 runs for one wicket; Hampshire 382 in the first innings and 186 in the second.

Gloucester vs. Somerset—Gloucester 364 and 64 for no wickets; Somerset 391 and 110.

Yorkshire vs. Lancashire—Yorkshire's first innings was 326; Lancashire's response in the first turn at bat was 159, but in the second tour it was catastrophic, the entire side being dismissed for 73.

Middlesex vs. Sussex—Middlesex took the game by a second inning rally. Sussex had registered 272 in the first innings and Middlesex responded with 195. Going in for the second time Sussex recorded a further 287. Faced with a deficit of 365 runs, Middlesex took the bat for the second time and the strong hitting of Hendren enabled them to overtake the task, and at 366 for five wickets the stumps were drawn.

Surrey vs. Notts County—Surrey made a score of 355 in the first innings, to which Nottingham responded with 182. Following on, Notts obtained the great total of 473 in the second innings with seven wickets down, when they closed their batting. Surrey's second innings' response was 102 for three wickets.

Northampton vs. Leicester—Northampton won on the first innings when they made 332 to Leicester's 222. Northampton's score was much poorer in the second turn at the wicket, being 140. Leicester exceeded this figure in the second innings by one run for one wicket down.

Warwickshire vs. Derby—Derby's third straight defeat was suffered today at the hands of Warwickshire, when the Midlanders closed their innings at nine wickets for 460 runs. Derby replied with 249 in the first innings and 341 for eight in the second.

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# Y.M.C.A. SHOWING LAST YEAR'S FORM

**Soft Ball League Champions Look Like Repeating Success—"B" Section Winners in Match**

Last night's results in the Soft Ball League fixtures were:

Section "A"—Y.M.C.A. 26, Navy 15; Foul Bay 12, Esquimalt 6. Section "B"—Andreans 28, Hudson's Bay 5; Bryant's Bluebirds 19, Bapco's 12; Camium Tigers 26, Harris & Smith 16. Section "C"—Tillicums 10, Sons of England 9; Normal School 22, Plimley & Ritchie 8; Y.M.C.A. "B" 23, Wilson Bros. 14.

The Y.M.C.A., last year's champions, are going along at a nice clip and look like duplicating their success of last season. In two starts the Y.M.C.A. have gained as many victories and in each case by a good margin. Foul Bay, last year's winners of the "B" section, won from Esquimalt in one of the best games witnessed at Foul Bay for some time. The players on each of these teams are just youngsters, and, before the schedule is completed, it is expected that they will give the other clubs in the league a merry time.

**"B" Section**

In the "B" section the Andreans seem to be showing their heels to all comers. In the first league game they handed the Bapcos a somewhat one-sided defeat, and last night they took the Hudson's Bays into camp and finished on the long end of a 28-5 score. Although it is rather early to make any predictions just yet, it looks as if the Andreans will need watching. Bryant's Bluebirds gained their second straight victory at the expense of Bapcos. The Bluebirds have a snappy team, and when the schedule is completed they will, no doubt, be somewhere near the top. The Camium Tigers took Harris & Smith in hand and won by a 26-16 score. In their first league game the Tigers lost out by one point to Bryant's Bluebirds. The race for the honors in the "B" section is very keen, with the Andreans and Bryant's Bluebirds tied for the premier position, each having won two games in as many starts.

In the "C" section the Tillicums seem to be setting the pace, although they had to extend themselves last nigh to defeat the Sons of England by a lone run. The clubmen have played two games and finished on the right end of the score in each case.

The Normal School are another team in this section that are hitting the 100 per cent mark. In their first game they lowered the colors of the Lemon-Gonnason nine, and last night they handed Plimley & Ritchie team a 22-8 setback. In company with the clubmen the school are occupying the premier post in their section. The Y.M.C.A. "B," who made their initial appearance last night, trimmed Wilson Bros. to the tune of 23-14. The Y.M.C.A. "B" team is just a bunch of youngsters, but they are certainly making a good showing, and before the schedule terminates it is expected that the other teams in the "C" section will find out just how strong this team is.

**The Draw**

The draw for next week is as follows:

Section "A"—Onwegos vs. Y. M. C.A., Central Park; Esquimalt vs. Hillcrests, at Macauley Point; Foul Bay vs. Navy, at Foul Bay. Section "B"—Harris & Smith vs. Andreans, at Beacon Hill; Bryant's Bluebirds vs. Hudson's Bay, at Central Park; Bapcos vs. Camium Tigers, at Victoria West Park. Section "C"—Plimley & Ritchie vs. Sons of England, at Beacon Hill; Tillicums vs. Wilson Bros., at Cantera Grounds; Y.M.C.A. "B" vs. Lemon-Gonnason, at Normal School; Normal School, a bye. The first-mentioned team is the home team.


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## *Model Airplane Races Held in England*

AN interesting meeting of the Model Aeronautical Engineers Society was held at Sudbury, where the members competed for cups and trophies. The picture shows one of the members demonstrating the advantages of the monoplane. The famous pilot, Captain De Haviland, attended the meet.

# COAL DISCOVERED ON MATTAGAMI RIVER

**About One Hundred and Ten Square Miles Said to Have Been Staked Out Near Long Rapids**

COCHRANE, May 25.—Interest continues to grow apace in connection with the discovery of coal near Long Rapids on the Mattagami River. About 110 square miles are stated to have been staked out, and with every indication that a general rush of "coal seekers" will take place immediately.

The area of prospective merit is made up of at least 10,000 square miles. The field is untapped by a railway, and cannot lay claim to even a solitary bush road. The area is the last remaining virgin stretch of territory lying between the settled parts of Ontario and the northern seaboard. All the other intervening country has been opened to some extent at least by roads, but this section lying between Long Rapids and the James Bay coast is quite as virgin as it was in ages past. The only routes of travel throughout the area are the rivers and lakes over which prospectors move about in canoes. The only trails are those that have been blazed by occasional trappers. Even white trappers do not appear to have penetrated the area—the field having been left to the native Indians who come inland from the coast.

**Steam Coal Encountered**

Senator Robertson is associated with control of the original coal claims staked at Long Rapids, as was announced some weeks ago. Associated with Senator Robertson is Mr. D. H. McDougall, a former manager of the Dominion Coal Company.

Information comes from Ottawa corroborative of earlier reports that at a depth of sixty-five feet a five-foot seam of excellent steam coal has been encountered, and that at a depth of about 110 feet a seam of even better grade has been indicated by diamond drilling.

Analysis of the coal are favorable, and justify the earlier reports. The principals involved say it is a first-class domestic fuel, also suitable for locomotives.

Representatives of some of the leading industrial concerns, as well as representatives of one of the world's greatest railways, have been sent into the field to stake out claims.

**Outlook Is Promising**

In discussing the question, Mr. Arthur A. Cole, mining engineer for the T. & N. O. Railway, declared that the situation was extremely interesting, and the outlook was promising. Information so far is more or less inconclusive, but in view of what is already known, the field is evidently one which prospective coal seekers can scarcely afford to overlook.

It has been estimated that the shaft on the original discovery will reach a depth of possibly 115 feet within the next few weeks. This will not only intersect the three seams of five to seven feet in thickness of semi-bituminous coal, but will also reach the horizon at which the bit of the boring machine broke. A lot of interest centres around the official statement that the highest grade seam of all was entered at a depth of 111 feet, and that the bit of the boring machine broke after going only two feet into this seam.

## *Mary McSweeney Chosen President of Sinn Fein*

DUBLIN, May 25.—Mary MacSweeney has been elected president of the Sinn Fein executive council in succession to Eamonn De Valera. It is recalled that De Valera recently seceded from the Sinn Fein ranks to form a new republican organization known as the Fianna Fil.

VANCOUVER, May 25.—University of Washington nine defeated the Collingwood team of the Senior City Baseball League in an evening game here tonight, the score being 6 to 2.

# DEMAND FOR FARM LABORERS GROWING

**Admission of Inexperienced Men Is Advocated by Dr. W. J. Black of Canadian National Railways**

MONTREAL, May 25.—"There is a growing demand for farm laborers from the British Isles which our offices have been unable to satisfy. The Winnipeg office states that in spite of the influx of men under the scheme of reduced rates now in force, there is still an under-supply to meet the requirements of the farmers," said Mr. W. J. Black, director of the Department of Colonization, Agriculture and Natural Resources, Canadian National Railways. In discussing the experiences of the present season regarding the movement of newcomers from the Old Land.

Dr. Black offered an explanation of the condition obtaining, saying: "This is partly due to the small percentage of inexperienced men who are able to enter the Dominion under the new rates. The supply of experienced farm labor available for migration from the British Isles is rapidly becoming depleted, and the present situation would seem to call for a more aggressive policy by which a greater number of inexperienced men can be brought into Canada."

**Farm Workers Wanted**

The Director of Colonization stated that there are calls for men from various centres along the lines of the Canadian National Railways, not only the West being affected by want of agricultural labor. There are also, he said, many unfilled requests from Ontario, while there is an appreciable demand for workers for farms in the Eastern Townships of Quebec.

Experienced farm hands in the Old Country are assured of employment throughout the year, so that only a certain percentage of that class are ready to strike out to a new land. There are many men in England, and elsewhere in the British Isles, who are not rated as fully qualified farm helpers, but they are handy and could fit in to many occupations on Canadian farms while gaining that experience necessary to fit them as competent workers. Men of this type would be welcomed on many farms, but as they are compelled to pay the higher fares, not many of them are in a position to finance the venture to Canada.

**Training Offers Solution**

There is yet another type of men available for Canada, young men without a trade who have been taken in hand by the British Ministry of Labor and given a short course in the elements of agriculture preliminary to being sent to the Dominions, either Australia or Canada. The first group of these men was secured for Canada through the activities of the Canadian National Railways representatives overseas, and these men have already been placed on farms in Canada.

In addition, a number of men have been enrolled in the course on Canadian farming, organized and developed by the Canadian National Railways. This year more than 800 men have taken the course, and in commenting upon the useful service rendered by it, Dr. Black said: "This course has demonstrated beyond all doubt that preliminary training of this character offers a solution in some degree of the problem of preparing British people for country life in Canada."

## *Witchcraft Is Popular In Italian Areas*

PAVIA, May 25.—From the light and learning of this ancient university city—of which Lan-franc and Anselm are among the glories that were—to the darkness of credulity and superstition, is but a matter of a few kilometres.

Said an uninvited gypsy woman to the people in a country house near the Po: "Your daughter lying ill at the hospital has been bewitched in a graveyard. Unless you give me ten lire, she will never recover."

At once the ten lire were paid, but a sister of the sick one had her mental faculties upset by the thought of her sister's enchantment.

When near recovery, she relapsed on hearing that a cousin had died after igniting her bed and casting herself upon the pyre.

This suicide is now being ascribed to the suggestions of a gypsy woman fortune teller.

In rural Italy the members of the "Romany Rye" community, whose men follow the trade of the "Flaming Tinman" and whose women folks are credited with witchcraft, waxen-image-burning and so forth, wield too much prestige.

"Father," said the little boy, looking up from his picture-book, "if I ask you a question, will you answer it."

"Certainly," was the affable reply.

"And not yet angry?"

"Of course not."

"Nor say it's time I was in bed?"

"I won't do any of these things."

"Well, what I want to know is where does a snake begin when it wags its tail?"

# IMPERIAL OIL WANTS HYDRANT AT WORKS

**City Water Commissioner Will Be Requested to Provide Facility Asked for by Company**

The Imperial Oil Company wishes a hydrant placed on Victoria View Road in Esquimalt. This request was received by the municipal council last evening and in turn it was decided to make request of the city water commissioner that a hydrant be placed there, Esquimalt undertaking to pay the usual rental for the hydrant.

It was explained in this connection that at present there is only a one-inch main on the road. A four-inch one would be needed if a hydrant were to be provided.

The municipal engineer gave the information that the putting in of the enlarged pipe would not interfere with the road.

## *Liverpool Cenotaph Site Is Selected*

LIVERPOOL, May 25.—Liverpool Cenotaph is to be erected on the St. George's Hall Plateau, the most familiar and commanding site in the city. This decision was reached at a meeting of the special committee entrusted by the city council with the matter, and presided over by Sir Archibald Salvidge.

The unanimous opinion of the committee at an earlier meeting had been that the Plateau was the most suitable site, but that the Beaconsfield statue on the centre of the site was a grave problem, and that if it were to be removed a position at least as important must be found for it. Professor Reilly, head of the Liverpool University School of Architecture, was consulted, and at the later meeting a report from him was considered. In this Professor Reilly expressed the view that there was only one place for the Cenotaph. This was between the statues of Queen Victoria and Prince Albert, centrally on the transverse of St. George's Hall.

The Cenotaph, in his opinion, should be a long, low monument, lying parallel to the hall. Placing the Cenotaph in this position meant moving the statue of Lord Beaconsfield. The statue could be moved to a new and dignified place, and his suggestion was that the figure should be replaced on a new and lower pedestal on the cross axis of the hall at the bottom of the first flight of steps. The committee unanimously adopted these suggestions. The next step will be the design, and for this a public competition with a prize has been arranged.


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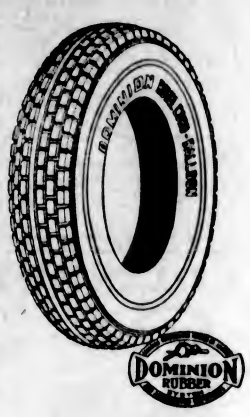

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## *Doing His Stuff*

BOSTON, May 25.—Babe Ruth hit his sixteenth home run of the season in the seventh inning today off Pitcher Zahniser in the Yankee-Red Sox game. None were on base.

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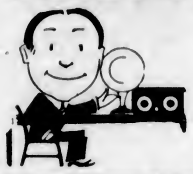

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## BAND CONCERTS ARE DISCONTINUED

The management of the Crystal Garden has announced that the concerts of the 16th Canadian Scottish Band, which have provided a great source of attraction for the last several months, will not take place tonight, being discontinued for an indefinite period.

The Crystal Garden orchestra will provide music for dancing from 9 to 11:30 o'clock.

A large crowd of people assembled at the Crystal Garden on Monday afternoon when the police pipe band from Vancouver played in the north ballroom and afterwards paraded about the promenades.

## AMERICANS INCREASE EXPORTS TO CANADA

**Great Gain Shown Last Year and Similar Improvement Expected This, Says Commissioner**

SEATTLE, May 25.—Exports from the United States to Canada were increased by $100,000,000 in 1925, and another large gain is expected this year, according to Lynn W. Meekins, United States trade commissioner to Canada and Newfoundland, who spent yesterday in Seattle.

Business conditions in Canada are better now than they have been for many years, Meekins declared. Prosperity has been brought about by increasing immigration from the British Isles and the continent, the return of many thousands of Canadian citizens from the United States, improvement in Government finances and heavier traffic over the principal railways.

The demand for farm implements, machinery and automobiles is so keen in Saskatchewan and Alberta that dealers have difficulty in filling the orders, he declared. The outlook for this year's wheat crop is excellent, the seeding having been completed about two weeks earlier than in 1925.

Meekins made his headquarters at the Seattle office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce while he was here today.

## NORGE CREW EXPECTED AT SEATTLE JUNE 26

**Captain Amundsen and Fifteen Companions to Sail South—Two of Party Stay at Nome**

SEATTLE, May 25.—Captain Roald Amundsen and fifteen of the seventeen men who sailed over the North Pole with him in the dirigible Norge, May 11, are expected in Seattle June 26. Ice has moved rapidly this season from Bering Sea, on the Alaska coast of which the Norge landed, and Amundsen's arrival here was today set three weeks earlier than previously.

Reservations for sixteen men were made on the steamship Victoria, of Seattle, from Nome to Seattle on her first trip of the season. Two of the Norge's party remain at Nome.

## At the Playhouses

**AMUSEMENTS**

**The Screen**

**Capitol**—"His Secretary," with Norma Shearer and Lew Cody.

**Columbia**—Charlie Chaplin, in "The Gold Rush."

**Dominion**—"The Barrier," with all-star cast.

**The Stage**

**Coliseum**—"Nothing But the Truth."

**Playhouse**—"Oh, Darling."

**DOMINION THEATRE** Several army officers, to augment his own personal military experience, worked with Norman Kerry in assembling a complete officer's outfit for his role in "The Barrier," the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer photoplay from the Rex Beach novel now playing at the Dominion Theatre. Kerry plays a lieutenant, the veritable fashion plate of his division, and every possible embellishment—always within army regulations, however, that an officer may wear is used in his wardrobe. An all-star cast is playing "The Barrier," the company including Lionel Barrymore, Henry B. Walthall, Bert Woodruff, George Cooper, Marceline Day, Mario Carillo, Princess Neola and Pat Harmon.

**PLAYHOUSE THEATRE** Mildred Ryan, Johnny Hines' leading woman in his latest offering "The Live Wire," a First National picture, now playing at the Playhouse Theatre, is young in years but talented to a high degree. Her screen career has been brief. Two years ago she had a small "bit" in a picture. Her work was noticed by C. C. Burr, producer of the Hines offerings, and when he started to cast "The Live Wire" he recalled her performance and assigned her to the important role opposite Hines.

**COLISEUM THEATRE** Bishop Doran (capitally played by W. Tayler) is persuaded to have a little flutter in sulphur mine shares. He does so against his better judgment because, as he explains, he has all his life preached against sulphur (presumably in its connection with brimstone) and he now finds that sulphur is equally to be avoided as an investment. It is Bob Bennett (Geo. Ole Olsen) who tells him that the stock is worthless, having taken on a bet to tell "Nothing but the Truth" for twenty-four hours. Bob remains steadfast to his bet and heaves a big sigh when he is finally at liberty to lie like a gentleman. No show has ever had a more steady career as a record-breaker than "Nothing but the Truth," in which the Coliseum Company is giving an exceptionally fine show.

**CAPITOL THEATRE** Hobart Henley believes he has made one of the discoveries of the year in Gwen Lee, who recently signed a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer contract. Henley gave Gwen an important part in his production of "His Secretary," now showing at the Capitol Theatre, starring Norma Shearer with Lew Cody, and, according to the director, Miss Lee has made it one of the outstanding roles of the feature. Miss Lee is a statuesque blonde, who combines a distinctive type of beauty with a great personal appeal and an inborn sense of comedy. Henley believes that when the promising players of 1926 are being reviewed, Miss Lee's name will not be far from the top. The supporting cast of "His Secretary" includes Willard Louis, Karl Dane, Gwen Lee, Mabel Van Buren, Estelle Clark and Ernest Gillen. In addition to the feature picture the Capitol quartette is again appearing in a new programme of songs, and "The Three Ages of Queen Victoria" is being presented by the Municipal Order of the Daughters of the Empire.

**COLUMBIA THEATRE** Not the least important of the players in "The Gold Rush," Charlie Chaplin's new comedy-drama, now showing at the Columbia Theatre, are two furry-coated actors who never change their costumes. John Brown, who plays the role of himself, the big brown bear, was one member of the company on location who really revelled in the snow country. Gyp, the dog in "The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation release, is a permanent part of the Chaplin studio organization. He was saved from the lethal chamber in Hollywood city pound to enter the films, and his past is shrouded in mystery.

## *"The Student Prince" To Play at Royal On Monday, May 31*

The largest traveling musical organization in the world, "The Student Prince," its personnel numbering over one hundred people, will begin a three-day engagement at the Royal next Monday, with a special-priced matinee being given on Wednesday next. Nine companies have been presenting the operetta throughout the United States this season, so great has been the demand to see it. It is the combined work of Dorothy Donnelly and Sigmund Romberg, who collaborated in the writing of "Blossom Time," which is so pleasantly remembered here. The company will be headed by Howard Marsh and Ilse Marvenga, both of the original New York company, and who created the respective roles they will be heard in here.

A student male chorus of sixty trained voices is a feature of the performance. Seats will be placed on sale at the box office of the Royal on Friday.

## *Brown Paper Wrapping Fails to Save $34,000*

NEW YORK, May 25.—Three armed men attacked Davis Swinie, negro bank messenger, today, as he left the Bronx Branch of the Hamilton National Bank and escaped with $34,000 he was carrying in a brown paper package under his arm. The money was being transferred to the main bank on West Forty-Second Street.

"What's the fare?" inquired the woman of the taxi driver as the conveyance stopped at her destination.

"Three-and-six, mum," was the prompt reply.

"Well, here's half a crown. I'm not such a fool as I look."

"No," said the driver. "I wish you were!"

## *Fine Sculpture Is to Be Erected in Regina*

MR. Charles Duncan McKechnie, with this exquisite group of "Father Hugouard and Indian Children." This fine piece of sculpture is to be erected in Regina, cast in bronze at the architectural bronze and iron works of the Allis-Chalmers Canadian Company.

## GEORGE ARLISS TO COME TO COAST LATER

**Will Make Tour of Pacific Cities in Fall—New Play to Be Produced Next Year**

NEW YORK, May 25.—Winthrop Ames announces that George Arliss will continue for another season in John Galsworthy's "Old English," which has been the outstanding success of the last two years in New York City, and on the road. He will visit the Pacific Coast, where he has not been seen for twelve years, his last appearance there being in "Disraeli" in 1914. Mr. Arliss will open his tour in Milwaukee on September 27 and then will play the chief cities in the West, including the Canadian Northwest. Next Spring he will present "Old English" in several of the cities where he acted it this season.

Mr. Ames planned to present Mr. Arliss in a new play in London and in New York next Fall, but the reception of "Old English" has been such that they decided to postpone the new production until 1927. Mr. Arliss ends his present tour in Newark, N.J., on June 5, after which he sails to join Mrs. Arliss in England to spend the Summer at their country home in Kent.

Mr. Arliss has acted "Old English" this season before 428,271 persons, who paid for their tickets. His gross receipts are more than $625,000. At the end of the tour he will have acted the Galsworthy play 470 times. "Disraeli" he played for five years, "The Green Goddess" ran for four years. He closed the latter drama after a year and a day in London at its 1,204th performance. When he did so he turned his back on truly impressive offers for his appearance in South Africa, Australia and on the Pacific Coast. There is a possibility that following the production of the new play in 1927, he may undertake a tour of the United States and the British Empire in a repertoire comprising "The Devil," "Disraeli," "The Green Goddess," "Old English" and the new play if it proves successful.

Appearing with Mr. Arliss next year under Mr. Ames' direction will be the players who impressed New York during the run of "Old English," prominent among them being Irby Marshal, the leading woman, Ivan F. Simpson and Henry Morrell.

## *Comic Strip Artist Succumbs in Seattle*

SEATTLE, May 25.—Clarence R. Rigby, cartoonist and illustrator, who died last night at his studio here, was the originator of the animated cartoon and several comic strips, including Major Ozone and Ah Sid the Chinese Kid. He was a former staff artist for The New York Herald, The New York World and The Brooklyn Eagle, and a contributor to the magazines Life, Judge, and the Sam Lloyd Syndicate.

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## *London Times During Strike Was Issued In Abridged Form*

Copies of the great British newspapers which are reaching Victoria, published at the time of the recent general strike in the Old Country, indicate in their reduced size the problems which the publishers had to face during the crisis.

The four-page edition of The London Times for May 11 is practically "made up" in the customary form of that great organ of British opinion, but it lacks in bulk what the public has been accustomed to expect from its historic record.

It sustains the claim of parliamentary reporting which has existed for many years, and which even a great crisis failed to disturb.

Beyond strike news, and a long list of railway train movements to all parts of the country, there is little other information possible in the limits of four pages. Foreign news fell to one column, finance to the same limits, and sport to a similar length.

The famous obituaries of the paper were reduced for the day to about twenty-five lines.

## CIRCULARS ARE ISSUED BY PUBLICITY BUREAU

**This Year's Publication of Publicity Matter So Far Reaches Total of 130,000 Copies**

According to a statement issued, the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau has produced a record amount of publicity literature in the last six weeks.

Besides sending out more than 19,000 circular letters to delegates to various conventions and other intending visitors, the Bureau has published 130,000 of this year's folders, which includes 20,000 city guide folders, 15,000 copies of the Island Resort folder (as compared with 10,000 copies in previous years), 50,000 copies of the map of the Island, 20,000 copies of the Hotel and Travel Guide, and 25,000 copies of the Ferry Routes and Rates folder.

The City Guide folder, done in sepia tints, is profusely and beautifully illustrated, and besides a condensed history of Victoria, features the outstanding spots of interest and beauty, beginning with Butchart's Gardens, the golf courses, Beacon Hill Park, and the observatories.

The duo-tone Island Resort folder is judged by the different travel bureaus, automobile clubs and similar institutions, as absolutely the most practical folder of its kind on the coast. The map of the Island has already been distributed to all automobile clubs and camps and all travel bureaus between here and San Diego.

The Ferry Routes and Rates folder is the only one giving the rates and routes of all ferries plying between the Island and the Mainland.

The Publicity Bureau has recently issued sixty-six articles to different magazines, dealing with industries, marine conditions, tourist attractions, and farming and residential opportunities of the Island, each article averaging 1,500 words, and all illustrated.

## *U.S. Naval Planes Leave San Francisco for North*

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Three navy planes, en route to Alaska on an aerial mapping expedition, continued their flight to Crescent City after refueling here today. The planes spent last night at Salinas, Cal., where one was forced down by an obstructed oil feed line. Lieut. Benjamin H. Wyatt is in command. From Crescent City the planes are expected to hop off for Seattle tomorrow. Preparations will be made there for the flight to Ketchikan, Alaska, where the mapping will begin.

## *Frost Does Damage In Okanagan Valley*

VERNON, B.C., May 25.—Frost in the Okanagan Valley last night caused considerable damage to early vegetables, many gardeners on the flats reporting that potatoes, corn, beans and tomatoes were cut right down. On the benches, apparently, there was no damage. No report of damage to fruit trees has been received. The Government weather station here recorded a low temperature of 34 degrees last night, but frost in the valley goes in streaks.

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## NATURAL BEAUTIES OF CANADA ARE EXTOLLED

**Mrs. Julia Henshaw, Speaking Under Auspices of Women's Canadian Club, Delights Audience**

The thrilling experiences of mountain climbers who mount snowy heights for the joy of conquest, were related yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Henshaw, a distinguished member of the Alpine Club, to a large and intensely interested audience in the Memorial Hall, the occasion being held under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club.

Miss Agnew, president of the club, introduced Mrs. Henshaw, who delivered her lecture with words of graphic and poetic beauty, bringing vividly before her listeners, not only the tremendous scenic splendor of the mountain ranges of Canada, and the thrill of climbing among their peaks, but the very spirit of the hills, flower-laden, green-clad and snow-peaked.

The lecture was illustrated throughout with photographic slides of unusual beauty, many of them having been colored by Mrs. Henshaw herself.

Membership in the Alpine Club is an honor conferred only upon those who have climbed above the height of 7,000 feet, and Mrs. Henshaw has earned her distinction with a record of 10,000 feet.

The speaker drew a brilliant verbal picture of the glory of the flowers, their abundance and coloring, found in the mountains 6,000 and 7,000 feet above sea level, and illustrated it with exquisitely-colored plates. She also showed some remarkable pictures of lakes and glaciers not yet known to the average traveler, due to their remoteness from the accepted routes.

**Parks Are Sanctuaries**

Speaking of the National Parks of Canada, Mrs. Henshaw explained that there were twenty-seven of them, all controlled from Ottawa, and that they were game sanctuaries invaluable for the preservation of species that might otherwise speedily become extinct, such as the buffalo, of which there are about 7,000 head, and the beautiful wapiti, of which there are about 2,000. Some pictures of these animals in their natural haunts were shown. Although portions of the land in these parks might be leased, said Mrs. Henshaw, none might be bought, as they were reserved for national playgrounds and sanctuaries for the flora and fauna of the country to the end of time.

The speaker mentioned Strathcona Park, praising its great beauty, and putting before her audience the regrettable fact that its glorious trees were in danger of being hewn down, expressing a deep hope that no such tragedy might befall, and that they might be allowed to stand unmolested as one of the great beauties of beauteous Canada.

**Baroness Orczy Sends Message**

Mrs. Henshaw brought a welcome message from one who a few months ago endeared herself personally to large audiences of Victoria people who already knew her through her books; namely the Baroness Orczy.

The Baroness wished the people of British Columbia to know that she never could forget the wonderful warmth of the welcome they gave her when she visited the Province, whose beauties she highly praised. She wished them to know also that the expression of her admiration was taking a definite form and that the people of British Columbia were to expect soon to have something from her pen, a real romance, set amid these familiar scenes.

Mrs. Henshaw, whose address was accorded the tribute of an overwhelming applause, expressed her delight at the suitable choice of songs, charmingly sung at the commencement of the afternoon by Mrs. Dowell, the songs being "Bowl of Roses" and "Only God Can Make a Tree."

## *River Gives Up Bodies*

SPOKANE, May 25.—The body of James E. Codd, mining man of this city, who was drowned with his wife and two children in the Coeur d'Alene River, near Cataldier, May 13, was recovered today by two men seeking the $500 reward posted for its recovery. The bodies of Mrs. Codd and the children were recovered directly after the accident.

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# Vancouver Island News

## FIVE STORES ARE BURNED IN FIRE

**EARLY MORNING BLAZE OCCURS AT COURTENAY, DESTROYING WOODEN BUILDINGS**

**Garage Is Largest Sufferer, With Loss Both of Building and Stock—Two Fire Departments in Action**

COURTENAY, B.C., May 25.—Fire starting at 1:15 this morning destroyed five business establishments and caused a loss of between $40,000 and $50,000. The Courtenay garage operated by Messrs. Blunt & Ewart suffered a loss of six new and twelve used automobiles.

When first detected the fire was burning between Jeff Hannay's poolroom and Blunt & Ewart's garage on Union Street, but the local firefighting force aided by equipment from Cumberland succeeded in confining the blaze to a large extent.

The heaviest loss will be that of Messrs. Blunt & Ewart, building and contents, valued at $25,000.

Mr. Stark, on coming back to town early from a holiday dance at Royston, was apparently the first to see the fire and at once informed the night police, who turned in the alarm. Members of the volunteer fire brigade were quickly on the scene, but it was apparent that the fire had got a very good hold.

Following dense clouds of smoke, fierce flames quickly burst through the top of the buildings, illuminating the whole street, which was quickly thronged with people in various stages of dress and undress. Everywhere men could be seen carrying the contents of stores and offices to places of safety, and the whole of the street was lined with articles of furniture, including whole store counters and other fixtures. By 3 a.m., however, the firemen had the blaze in hand, and the contents of the various stores were being put back.

The chief sufferers were Blunt & Ewart's garage, the Farmers' Produce Building, the Overwaitea Tea Company premises, Hannay's poolroom, Miss E. M. E. Johnson's millinery store, the John Urquhart building, and Clarkson & Rockwell, butchers.

The adjacent building of F. R. F. Biscoe, adjoining the garage, was damaged by fire and water.

Other premises seriously damaged are McKenzie's drygoods store, C. F. Smith's insurance office, Strand Cafe and Sutliff's barber shop.

### *Langford Personals*

LANGFORD, May 25.—Mr. W. A. and Mrs. Roper and family, who have recently arrived from England, have left the Millstream Road to live in Victoria. Mr. Roper has been appointed physical culture instructor at Brentwood College.

Mr. H. Cherry, who for a number of years has resided on Atkins Road, has left to live with his son, Rev. Cecil Cherry, in Onoway, Alberta. He will first visit his daughter, Mrs. Stone, in Edmonton.

A number of the school children had a very picturesque Empire Day parade last Friday afternoon. After marching down the main thoroughfares they returned to the home of Mr. Frank Smedley, where they enjoyed games and light refreshments.

It has been decided to hold a silver tea under the auspices of the Women's Institute at "Broadview Farm," the home of Mr. A. E. Wade, early in June.

### *Service for Mothers And Daughters Held*

KEATING, May 25.—A special mother and daughter service was given by the Canadian Girls in Training from Sidney, on Sunday morning at the South Saanich United Church. A large congregation attended, and the service was extremely well presented by the girls, who had entire charge. The leader introduced Miss A. Fountain, B.A., of Vancouver, girls' work secretary of British Columbia, who gave an educational address. The choir was made up of girls, and the whole service was much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Amey, of Vancouver, former residents of the district, were visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lawrie, Giles Crossroad, during the week-end, remaining for the holiday on Monday and returning on the afternoon boat.

## CHEMAINUS PEOPLE CLEAN UP BEACHES

**Memorial Window to Mr. E. J. Palmer Will Be Dedicated at St. Michael's Church**

CHEMAINUS, May 25.—Mr. A. E. Collyer was a recent visitor to Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dobinson, accompanied by Mrs. William Allester, motored to Victoria on Saturday, and remained there to take in the week-end celebrations.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling, of Vancouver, are visiting with their daughter, Mrs. L. G. Robinson.

Mrs. John Robinson has spent the past week in Victoria with Mrs. George Elliot.

Mr. Douglas Cree and Mr. Leslie Inglis spent the week-end at Shawnigan Lake with Mrs. Cree.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and their son Ian, of Vancouver, were week-end guests of Mrs. J. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Long motored to Victoria during the week-end and went on to Seattle for a visit.

Mr. Charles Toynbee, of Salt Spring Island, was a recent visitor for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. T. Toynbee.

Master George Nixon and Master Jim Muskett, of Victoria, are spending a week with friends at Thetis Island.

On Thursday afternoon and evening a beach-cleaning bee was successfully carried out. A volunteer brigade of men and boys worked for several hours removing all the rubbish which has accumulated during the Winter months. The result is a neat and tidy beach along all the strip which is used for bathing and picnicking.

On Friday evening in St. Michael's and All Angel's Church, a dedication service will be held, when the new window presented by Mrs. E. J. Palmer in memory of her husband, will be unveiled. The window has recently arrived from England and will be installed in place during the week.

### *Colwood Women's Institute*

COLWOOD, May 25.—The Colwood Women's Institute will hold its special meeting on Thursday evening of this week in the Institute rooms at 7:30 o'clock, instead of Wednesday, as previously announced.

Next Sunday being the fifth Sunday in the month, service at St. John's Church will be at 7 p.m.

## SOCIAL NEWS OF SALT SPRING ISLAND

**Bachelors Entertain at Dance at Harbor House, Ganges—Another Dance in Aid of Baseball Club**

GANGES, May 25.—About seventy guests thoroughly enjoyed a dance given on Friday night at Harbor House by some Ganges bachelors. The idea underlying the dance was an endeavor to repay to a small extent some of the hospitality received by the bachelors from the local residents during the past few years. The following were the hosts of the evening: Mr. H. W. Bullock, Mr. V. Best, Mr. E. Borrodaile, Mr. K. Butterfield, Mr. H. A. H. Churchill, Mr. D. K. Crofton, Mr. R. N. Harrison, Messrs. R. O. and C. G. King, Mr. T. P. Penrose, Messrs. H. and R. Price, Mr. J. C. Scovell, Mr. E. Springford and Mr. G. Shove.

The orchestra booked for the dance was that of Mr. Hunt, of Victoria, who, by his good-natured repetition of encores and extreme zest helped to make the evening a success.

Harbor House, which lends itself so well in providing comfortable sitting-out quarters, was decorated in a manner suitable to the evening. Ices, which were served in the veranda, were gratefully received by guests between the dances. The following guests were present:

Rev. George and Mrs. Aitkins, Miss F. Aitkins, Miss Byrne, Mr. P. Beach, Miss M. Brynjolfson, Mr. T. Burkett, Mr. G. Borrodaile, Miss G. Borrodaile, Capt. and Mrs. Best, Messrs. G. and A. Best, Miss Beadle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. D. Crofton, the Misses Diana, Doreen and Denise Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cropper, Mrs. A. Elliot, Miss Eagel, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eaton, Mrs. N. T. Ellis, Miss Gorden, Miss George, Miss E. Harris, Miss C. Hayland, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hailey, Mrs. Harvey, Mr. Miss P. Josephs, Mrs. E. P. Josephs, Miss P. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lowther, Miss G. Lang, Miss McGinley, Capt. and Mrs. J. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Price, Capt. and Mrs. Richmond, Mrs. H. A. Robinson, Miss F. Reid, Mr. and Dr. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. C. Springford, Mrs. A. J. Smith, Miss D. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. G. Turner, Mr. N. Weatherall, Miss A. Walter.

The following members of the 1st Salt Spring Company of Girl Guides left the Island on Friday to attend the Guiders' Camp held at Cadboro Bay, near Victoria: Capt. D. Taylor, Lieut. P. Taylor and Lieut. D. Elliot. The camp lasted until Monday.

Mr. Pascal is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Allen for a few days.

Mr. Hickman, of Vancouver, is staying with Dr. and Mr. Sutherland for a few days.

Mrs. Norman Wilson, of "Barnsbury," Ganges, left here for Deep Cove on Saturday. She will be the guest of Mrs. Layard.

Mrs. Josephs and her daughter, Peggy, returned to Victoria in Tuesday. They have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Turner, of "Woodhill," Ganges, for a few days.

A very successful dance was held in the Mahon Hall, Ganges, on Friday last in aid of the Baseball Club. There were present about eighty guests, all of whom enjoyed a delightful evening. The orchestra was composed of local musical residents who contributed their share towards the enjoyment of the guests by their excellent playing. The dance was continued until 2 o'clock, with an interlude for refreshments.

### *Hard Times Dance*

SOOKE, May 25.—An enjoyable hard times dance was held in Charters' Hall on Saturday evening last. The costumes worn caused much merriment by their various designs, and the decision of the judges awarded prizes to Miss Florence Gray, Miss Joan Locke, Mr. Percy Buckley and Mr. Howard Pontious. The Sooke Syncopators provided the music, and during the absence of Miss F. Muir, Mr. A. Bishop, of Victoria, was at the piano. Supper was served by Mrs. Charters and a committee of ladies.

Miss Veronique Willett spent the week-end at home.

Miss Bertha Muir has returned to Duncan after spending the holiday here.

Mr. Halket, of Vancouver, spent the week-end at his home here.

### *Deep Cove Personals*

DEEP COVE, May 25.—Mr. and Mrs. McCoombs and Mr. Laurence McCoombs, of New Westminster, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davidson over the holiday.

Mr. Webb, of Chilliwack, is spending a week's vacation at Patricia Bay, and is the guest of Mr. George Sangster.

Master Maurice and Jack Rochfort have returned to school at Shawnigan after spending the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rochfort, Bradley Dynes.

Mrs. Emma Grunion, of Oakland, California, spent a few days at Deep Cove during the week, and was the guest of Mrs. C. Moses.

Mrs. Hudson and small daughter, of Duncan, were guests over the week-end at the Chalet Hotel, Deep Bay.

Misses Evelyn and Irene Moses made a motor trip to Nanaimo, where they spent the week-end attending the celebrations, returning home on Monday.

### *Guests at Sooke Harbor*

SOOKE, May 25.—Among the guests at "The Belvedere," Sooke Harbor, are: Mr. W. B. Anderson, Mr. H. G. Welsh, Mr. C. E. Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Coombs, Mrs. Watkin, Mrs. H. A. Whillan, Mr. J. P. Dougherty, Mr. and Mrs. Houghton, Mrs. Rider, Mrs. G. Smith, Capt. Van der Byl, Mr. E. Wise, all from Victoria; and Mr. Oliver, Vernon; Mr. Tris, Mr. and Mrs. W. Jones, Mr. R. D. Lemmax, Miss V. E. Lemmax, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Asirue, all of Victoria; Mr. H. E. Elsden, Vancouver; Mr. K. U. Drewe, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McMillan and baby, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smitt, Mr. C. Marriott, all of Victoria; Mr. H. W. Johnstone and Mr. H. Read, Vancouver.

## *Fisherman Catches Fine Salmon in Inlet*

The picture shows Messrs. Eli Rochon (right), and Richard Hume (left).

BRENTWOOD, May 25.—A red salmon weighing forty-three pounds and two ounces was caught in the Saanich Arm by Mr. Eli Rochon. This is perhaps the heaviest fish known to have been caught here. A silver cup is being donated by Capt. Babington and Mr. Renouf to the fisherman who catches the heaviest fish between the present date and September. The cup may be seen in the window of L. M. Lenfesty's store, Government Street, Victoria.

### *Young People's Club To Meet Before Debate*

KEATING, May 25.—The Young People's Club of the South Saanich United Church will hold its regular meeting in the church parlor on Monday evening, June 7, at 7:30 o'clock, before the debate with a team of three from the Victoria High School cadets. Miss Chrissie MacNab, Miss Lillian Styan and Mr. Stewart Stoddert will represent the local team, who will have the negative side of the debate, "Resolved, That Trade Unions Increase the Industrial Efficiency of a Nation."

A dance will be held by the management of the Temperance Hall in the hall on Friday evening, May 28. Dancing will be from nine till one, and refreshments will be served. A good orchestra will be in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Highstead, of Somenos, were the guests of Mrs. Highstead's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rhode, during the week-end.

Mr. George Hafer, of Port Angeles, has returned to his home, Central Saanich Road, for the holiday.

### *Club Wins Third Prize*

KEATING, May 25.—The Junior Institute Club of South Saanich was well represented in the parade on May 24, when with the help of members of the Women's Institute they decorated a car in the club colors of green, white and gold. The members wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Sherring for the loan of their car and for their hospitality, and Mrs. Hafer and all members of the South Saanich Institute. The car won third prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Fricker and family were guests at the home of Mrs. Fricker's mother, Mrs. Hafer, Central Saanich Road, during the week-end.

Miss Rose Ricketts, of Port Angeles, was a visitor to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, Keating Crossroad, during the week.

### *Metchosin Personals*

METCHOSIN, May 25.—Mr. and Mrs. George E. Winter and the Misses Winter, of Vancouver, are staying at their Summer cottage at Metchosin.

Mrs. Momber and daughter, Janet, of Shanghai, are visiting the Rev. and Mrs. Bolton at St. Mary's Vicarage.

Miss de Pallon, of the Nanaimo Hospital, is a visitor at the home of the Rev. and Miss Germain.

Mr. Bennet, of East Sooke, has rented Mr. W. Pear's place, on the Happy Valley Road.

A Farmer's Institute meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m. in the hall, to discuss Fall fair arrangements.

## HALF-BREED KILLED IN DRUNKEN BATTLE

**Two Others Fatally Hurt and Another Pair Less Seriously Injured in Alberta Fight**

EDMONTON, Alta., May 25.—As the result of what is believed by police to have been a drunken battle in a hunting ground known as "Fish Camp," ten miles north of Entrance on the Canadian National Railway, Abraham Gaucher, a half-breed, lies dead, the victim of a murderous attack. Two others, Archie Gaucher and Magoliere Carakonti, are in hospital at the point of death, and another two, Pat Belcourt and Albert Gaucher, are slightly wounded. The weapon said to have been used was a blunt axe.

Julian Gaucher has been arrested on suspicion of being the murderer and has been brought to Brule, where he has been handed over to the Alberta Provincial police. Investigation is being continued by Edmonton officers.


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### *Nurse Leaves for North*

WINNIPEG, May 25.—Miss Minnie Hackett left yesterday for Atlavik, in the Mackenzie Delta, where she will be the first nurse in the new Church of England Hospital. She is a graduate of a local hospital, and many officials and members of the Winnipeg diocese were at the station to bid her farewell.


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## NEW FIRE BUREAU IS INAUGURATED

**UNDERWRITERS' INVESTIGATION SYSTEM WILL OPERATE IN SEVEN PROVINCES**

**Primary Object Is Check on Incendiarism—Headquarters Will Be in Montreal**

MONTREAL, May 25.—Inauguration of a Dominion-wide effort to reduce fire waste goes into effect with the Fire Underwriters' Investigation and Loss Bureau of Canada to operate in seven provinces with headquarters in Montreal, formally taking over the C.F.U.A. Investigation and Loss Bureau, the parent organization, which since 1923, has covered the territories of Quebec and Ontario.

This step, the result of a decision reached at the semi-annual meeting of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association here in January last, represents the culmination of plans which have been studied for the last two and a half years, and is an outcome, primarily, of the success which has attended the efforts of the parent organization in this province and in Ontario.

Practically every fire insurance company in Canada is represented by the new bureau, whose primary activity will be the investigation of fires of suspicious origin, and co-operation with local authorities for the arrest and conviction of persons believed to be guilty of arson and kindred crimes.

**All Fires to Be Reported**

Beginning today, reports will be received of every fire, large or small, and irrespective of loss or cause, throughout Canada, and filed in the master-file in Montreal. Some idea of the immensity of the work involved may be gained from the fact that in the present file of the old bureau, containing records of fires since 1923 for Quebec and Ontario only, there are more than 100,000 reports.

In widening the scope of activity of the old department, it is felt that the service rendered will be of assistance not only to the companies, but to fire marshals and fire commissioners throughout Canada. The co-operation of the Canadian Fire Marshals' Association was promised at their annual meeting in Ottawa, it is understood, and the investigating strength of the bureau and the association will combine to reduce Canadian fire loss. The records of the new bureau will be always available, it is stated, to the properly constituted local authorities, placing at their disposal a clearing house of information.

**Co-operation With U.S.**

The Dominion bureau is expected to work hand in hand with the National Board, situated in New York, and performing service in the United States similar to that which the bureau undertakes for Canada. Close relations will be maintained with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the Pennsylvania State Constabulary. As the local filing system is identical in principle with that of the United States National Board, the American and Canadian fire records are interchangeable.

When the bureau goes into operation, one of the first activities will be a careful study of territory, with a view to determining the best location for the bureau's investigators. It is not intended that these headquarters will be branch offices, but will act as bases of operation, as all records will be kept in the one central office in Montreal, the staff of which has been considerably enlarged to handle the increase of work which will follow the expansion of activities of the old department of the Underwriters' Association.

## BUILD FILM CITY FOUR MILES SQUARE

**In Southern Desert Thirty Miles From Anywhere Producers Complete Gigantic Task**

The magic city of the desert.

Just as Aladdin caused castles to appear by touching his wonderful lamp, so have modern wizards materialized a city on the scorched sands of the Arizona desert, thirty miles from any habitation, a sight more amazing than any mirage.

Lamp-rubbing magic did not build the magic city. Modern wizards and responsible, human wizards whose sorcery consists of imagination, of downright skill, of belief that anything can be accomplished, of a tremendous supply of "get up and go."

Rising from the shimmering sands of a shifting valley near the Mexican border is this four-miles-square city. It could not be compared favorably to New York in size or style or quality of architecture, but it is a distinct triumph in its own way.

**Greatest Undertaking**

In short, it is a camp housing 2,000 men and as many horses, mules and camels during the three months required to film the exterior scenes of "Beau Geste." This mystery story of the French Foreign Legion in the deserts of Africa marks the greatest physical undertaking in the history of the producing company, and the location probably is the largest long sojourn in motion-picture annals. Without doubt it is one of the outstanding achievements in the screen industry in recent years.

The story of the building and maintenance is as romantic as the story of "Beau Geste" itself. It is another instance of changing the opinions of those who declared flatly that "it can't be done."

**Some Undertaking**

Take 2,000 men from a city to the desert thirty miles from the nearest town and keep them there three months?

Build a camp in a valley inaccessible to approach by automobile, wagons or horses?

Obtain enough water for this small army in one of the dryest spots in the world?

Provide good food for so large a host and serve it to the men well prepared and quickly?

Keep 2,000 men in good spirits in an isolated camp for three months?

The mere mention of these questions tickled the risibilities of leading Hollywood experts and of nearly all the natives of the country where the location was sought. But they had accomplished the impossible so many times the men in charge of this picture went right ahead, and they most successfully completed their task.

## *Former Officers of Queen's Own Rifles Celebrate*

THE above photograph of Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto officers, was taken on the occasion of the celebration of General Sir William Otter's eighty-second birthday. The aggregate ages of the above thirteen gentlemen is about 916 years. Sitting (left to right with years of service in brackets): Lieut.-Col. Percy L. Mason, C.V.O. (1878-1911); Capt. W. A. Medland (1872-1895); General Sir William Otter, K.C.B., C.V.O. (1861-1883); Major-General Sir Henry M. Pellatt, C.V.O. (1876-1925); Color-Sergeant Walter J. Barr (1871-1885). Standing, left to right: Lieut. E. Havelock Walsh (1880-1890); Major Boyce Thompson (1880-1901); Lieut. R. S. Cassells, K.C. (1879-1886); Sergeant E. T. Malone, K.C. (1877-1880); Col. Henry Brock (1887-1891); Lieut. A. D. Crooks (1882-1901); Major J. A. Murray (1877-1904), and Capt. Prof. Alfred Baker (1875-1883).

## SCOUT FELLOWSHIP AIDS WORLD PEACE

**Sir Robert Baden-Powell Shows How Juvenile Crime Can Be Interestingly Combated**

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Nations were advised not to let "national aspirations cloud the peace and good will of the world" in an address by Sir Robert Baden-Powell, of Great Britain, "chief scout of the world," delivered at the opening session of the sixteenth annual meeting of the national council of the Boy Scouts of America.

Describing the scout movement as an aid to world peace, he said that its present membership includes "only a fringe of the boyhood of the world," and added that "we want to get the leaven of the next generation with scouting for girls, as well as boys, so that the mothers of tomorrow can instill character into their sons."

An English survey disclosed, he said, that character is in the formative period between the ages of eight and twelve, and that juvenile crime reached its height between ten and twelve. To offset any youthful criminal tendency, he urged the necessity of scout programme with interests in the various troops for graduating age. Doing good turns, Sir Robert continued, appeals to the younger boys, while service attracts the youth of seventeen and eighteen.

Sir Robert disclosed that England will seek the 1928 international scout gathering as a companion celebration for the twentieth English scout anniversary.

### *Date Line, "North Pole," Has Become Authentic*

NEW YORK, May 25.—For the first time in journalistic history, the date line "North Pole" was legitimately used on a news item. It was a wireless story of the flight of the Norge, received by The New York Times as a part of the service describing the flight of that dirigible from Spitzbergen to Nome.

The dirigible was in instantaneous communication with the world as it crossed the Pole, whereas it required months for Admiral Robert E. Peary to inform the world in 1909 that he had discovered the Pole.

The first message from the Norge was sent from over the spot where, on April 6, 1909, Admiral Peary sat and wrote in his diary:

"The Pole at last. The prize of three centuries. My dream and goal for twenty years. Mine at last! I cannot bring myself to realize it. It seems all so simple and commonplace."

### *Helen Reid Arrested*

VANCOUVER, May 25.—A woman, giving the name of Miss Helen Reid, and her address as Vancouver Island, today appeared in police court on a charge of theft, and decision was reserved until tomorrow. She is alleged to have stolen a pair of stockings from a local department store.


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## INDIANS RESPOND TO INVITATION WELL

**During Week-End More Than 800 Aborigines Visit Victoria, Official States**

There were between 800 and 850 Indians in Victoria Monday for the celebration, from various points in the Cowichan agency, up the East Coast as far as Nanaimo and adjacent islands, and also from the Squamish Reservation at North Vancouver.

For the regatta on Saturday about 750 arrived in time, a number being delayed by squally weather from using their launches and canoes.

The estimate of these figures is received from Mr. Thomas O'Connell, Indian Department constable, who is here to watch his charges. Speaking to The Colonist, Monday evening, he stated that the Indians had been especially well-behaved on this occasion, and he expressed his thanks to the city police for their care in looking after them.

He appreciates the numerous expressions of opinion he heard during the regatta and parade of the well-kept, well-dressed appearance of the wards of the Indian Department. He points out that there was an exceptionally fine showing of Cowichan Indians, and stated that seventy-five came from the Squamish Reservation.

Mr. O'Connell will stay here until the aborigines have left for home.

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# MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

## SEINE BOAT TO BE TAKEN OVER TODAY

**LEWAC MAKES TRIAL TRIP AND WILL BE RECEIVED BY OWNERS FROM YARROWS**

**Third Seine Boat to Be Launched on Thursday—Caisson Gate Will Be Ready in Two Weeks**

The Lewac, second seine boat of a fleet of five being built by Yarrows, Ltd., for the Canadian Packing Corporation, went through her trial trip yesterday, showing up splendidly. Her Diesel engines turned well, and the maximum speed made was ten knots. The craft will be handed over to the owners today. The Ilibac, which was launched some months ago, has already been placed in service.

Tomorrow the third seventy-five foot seine boat for the same company will be launched from Yarrows yard between 4 and 5 o'clock. This vessel will be known as the Amlac.

Work on the two remaining fifty-foot seiners is progressing favorably. Already one has reached the planking stage, while the framework is nearly completed on the other.

Another two weeks should see the completion of the second drydock caisson, it was announced yesterday. A few minor jobs remain to be done on the last deck, before it is taken to Skinner's Cove and installed in the huge graving basin.

With the exception of the moving crane, the caisson is the last important contract to be completed for the largest drydock in the British Empire, and which has cost the Dominion Government $6,000,000 to build.

### *Six Whales Caught By Victoria Fleet; Taken as Good Omen*

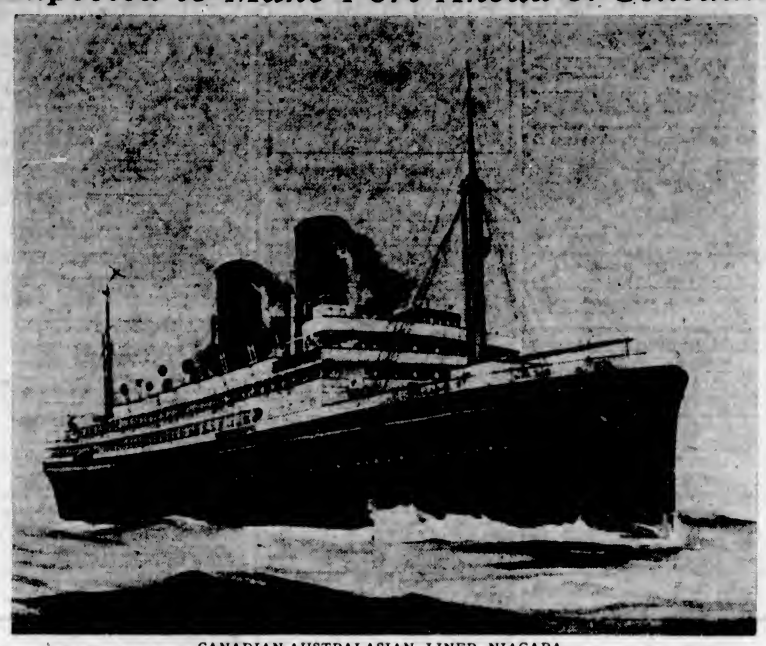
THE whaling season is off to a good start. Already six of the water elephants have been caught by vessels out of the Rose Harbor station, operated by the Consolidated Whaling Corporation of Victoria. This is taken by Captain George Le Marquand, general manager, as a good omen for a lucrative season. The Boring seaplane, which will patrol northern waters in search of the whales for the corporation, will leave the latter part of this week for Naden Harbor.

Hewson—"I failed to marry Helen because of her past."

Humphreys—"What was the matter with her past?"

Hewson—"Too long."

## *Expected to Make Port Ahead of Schedule*



CANADIAN-AUSTRALASIAN LINER NIAGARA

BRINGING more than 400 passengers, the Niagara is reported to have left Honolulu at 5 o'clock on Friday for Victoria. The last three trips of this liner have brought her into Victoria one day ahead of schedule, and although no definite advice has been received it is believed she will dock tomorrow night instead of Friday.

### *Hissing Waterspout Sweeping Waters of Gulf of Georgia*

VANCOUVER, May 25.—Whirling and whistling its way over the Gulf of Georgia, a waterspout, described as nearly 1,000 feet high, was sighted on Monday at 9:30 a.m., by Captain Johnson, of the tugboat Eva. It apparently formed, said the captain, near Point Grey and traveled toward Gower Point, a distance of seven miles. He declared it appeared to have a base at least 100 feet in diameter, the water spraying to whiteness, where it entered the narrow neck of the spout.

Prospect Point sighted another spout at 5 p.m. It was also bearing from Point Grey, toward Gower Point. It seemed to break when it hit the hills beyond the Point, officials reported.

### *12-Year-Old Climbs High-Tension Trestle And Is Electrocuted*

VANCOUVER, May 25.—Dashed to the ground twenty feet beneath when she touched a high tension power wire at 6 o'clock Monday night, Ruth Finley, twelve years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey H. Finley, North Burnaby, died in the general hospital at 2:30 o'clock this morning. The little girl climbed a trestle pole carrying the power line. Immediately she touched the wire she crumpled up and crashed to the ground. When picked up by her fifteen-year-old brother, Berthel, she was unconscious. Berthel rushed for aid and his sister was quickly conveyed to the hospital.

## KAGA MARU IS ON WAY FROM ORIENT

**LINER LEFT MAY 20—ARIZONA MARU DUE WILLIAM HEAD 8 O'CLOCK TONIGHT**

**Vessel Has Large Passenger List—Paris Maru Takes Out Heavy Freight Cargo to Orient**

The N.Y.K. liner Kaga Maru left Yokohama on May 20 for Victoria and Seattle, according to cable advices received by Mr. A. H. Hebb, local representative, yesterday. The vessel should reach this port on June 3.

For Victoria she has 262 tons of freight, five first class and nine third class passengers, while for Seattle there are eight first class and twenty-one third class, making a total of forty-three travelers on board.

Latest advices from the O.S.K. liner Arizona Maru state that that vessel is expected to arrive at William Head 8 o'clock tonight. After securing pratique she will dock about 9:30 o'clock.

The ship will discharge fifty tons of freight, ninety-three bags of mail, thirteen bags of mail for the aircraft, and debark three first class, forty-seven Chinese and sixty-five Japanese steerage passengers before proceeding to Seattle.

For the Sound city the vessel has twenty-three first class and twenty-six steerage passengers, making a total of 164 travelers.

The Paris Maru, also of the O.S.K. line, passed out of the Strait yesterday afternoon en route to the Orient with a heavy cargo. Included in the vessel's freight were 2,000 tons of bulk wheat, 1,500 tons of flour, lumber, canned goods and 1,000 tons of spelter.

### *Weather Report*

Alert Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29.96; 58; sea smooth.

Estevan—Rain; southeast, light; 29.94; 50; moderate swell.

Pachena—Cloudy; south; 29.98; 52; moderate swell.

Carmanah—Rain; southwest; 29.90; light swell.

Cape Beale—Rain; south; light; 29.90; light swell.

## DOLLAR BID AIRED IN SUPREME COURT

**Civil Argument Heard in Proceedings Brought by Northwestern Interests to Stop Ships' Sale**

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Oral argument was heard by the District of Columbia supreme court yesterday in the proceedings brought by Northwestern interests to stop the Shipping Board's sale of five Admiral-Oriental liners to Mr. R. Stanley Dollar.

Mr. Frederick D. McKenney opened the argument for the plaintiffs, who include the Puget Sound-Oriental Line and residents of Washington and Oregon. He charged the Dollar interests were favored by the Board in the matter of changes in specifications relating to the sale. Shipping Board counsel, headed by Mr. C. G. Parker, took the position that the Dollar bid was properly accepted.

Mr. McKenney asked the court to direct the Board to reopen the sale and take into consideration a bid of the Puget Sound-Oriental Line to pay $4,600,000 for the vessels—$100,000 more than the Dollar offer.

The Board took the position that due notice was given of changes in specifications and the Dollar bid was the highest submitted. As it already had been accepted, its counsel held that the sale had been completed.

Counsel for the Admiral-Oriental Line also filed an answer and counter-claim asserting that reopening of the transaction for new bidding would be unfair, unbusinesslike, and contrary to sound morals.

## Ocean and Coastwise Movements

### VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, May 25.—Arrived: Lillian Luckenbach, Portland; Alaska Standard, Southeastern Alaska; Northland, Poljana, Emma Alexander, San Francisco; J. A. Moffet, San Pedro. Sailed: J. A. Moffet, San Francisco; Poljana, Northland, J. C. Kirkpatrick, Tacoma; Astoria, San Pedro; Centaurus, Vancouver; Santa Flavia, Admiral Evans, Alaska; Ms. Admiral Peary, Puget Sound ports.

JUNEAU, May 25.—Sailed: Princess Mary, southbound.

CORDOVA, May 25.—Sailed: Princess Mary, southbound; Alaska, southbound.

PORTLAND, May 25.—Arrived: Rose City, Mojave, Siskiyou, Los Angeles; Polyphemus, Yokohama; Ms. Trianon, Moji; Fort Bragg, Wallingford, San Francisco; Ibukisan Maru, Kobe. Sailed: Richmond, San Francisco; Bencleuch, Antwerp; Santiam, Los Angeles.

TACOMA, May 25.—Arrived: Northland, John C. Kirkpatrick, Emma Alexander, San Francisco; Melville Dollar, New York. Sailed: American, New York; Great City, Northland, John C. Kirkpatrick, Seattle.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Arrived: Shasta, Grays Harbor; Hessen, Johan Poulsen, Multnomah, Astor, Sierra, Sydney; Helen P. Drew, Greenwood; Jane Nettleton, Everett; Jacox, Port Angeles; Lebre, Portland; Edward Luckenbach, Seattle; Avalon, Grays Harbor; Helen, Grays Harbor. Sailed: Stanley Dollar, Japan; Charlie Watson, Grays Harbor; Shinyo Maru, Hong Kong; Munaires, New York; Jane Nettleton, San Pedro; Admiral Schley, Astor; West Kalanan, Seattle.

**Arrived**

OSLO, May 19.—George Washington, San Francisco.

HULL, May 21.—Canada, San Francisco.

MANILA, May 22.—West Cayote, Portland.

DAIREN, May 23.—Toyama Maru, Seattle.

LIVERPOOL, May 24.—Noorderdijk, San Francisco.

GIBRALTAR, May 25.—Errington Court, Vancouver.

MARSEILLES, May 22.—Plave, Portland.

AUCKLAND, May 24.—Aorangi, Vancouver.

AVONMOUTH, May 24.—San Francisco, Seattle.

**Sailed**

YOKOHAMA, May 23.—West Faralon, San Francisco.

MANCHESTER, May 22.—Pacific Trader, Vancouver.

DAIREN, May 23.—London Maru, Vancouver; Iwatesan Maru, Vancouver.

PANAMA CANAL, May 24.—H. C. Kolger, Philadelphia; Swift Eagle, San Pedro; Stuart Dollar, San Francisco.

### WIRELESS REPORT

Estevan, 8 P.M., May 25

Canadian Rover, San Francisco for Victoria, 95 miles from Victoria.

Whitney Olsen, Los Angeles for Bellingham, 219 miles from Bellingham.

Canadian Farmer, Ocean Falls for Astoria, 73 miles from Astoria.

Hyson, Hong Kong for Portland, due Portland Friday.

E. F. Kingsley, Powell River for San Francisco, 20 miles south of Tatoosh.

Arizona, San Francisco for Tacoma, 327 miles south of Tatoosh.

Duchess de Aosta, Seattle for Portland, 11 miles from North Head.

Paris City, Victoria for Yokohama, 300 miles west of Tatoosh.

Seakonk, Portland for Shanghai, 732 miles west of Columbia River.

City of Vancouver, Yokohama for Port Alice, 293 miles from Port Alice.

Canadian Highlander, Halifax for Victoria, 292 miles from Victoria.

Canadian Planter, Union Bay for Montreal, 9 p.m. abeam Tatoosh.

Loch Goil, London for Vancouver, 2 p.m., 250 miles south of Estevan.

Princess Maquinna, 4:30 p.m. at Cachelot, northbound.

### C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, May 13, left Montreal for Avonmouth.

Canadian Highlander, May 9, left Panama Canal for Vancouver.

Canadian Importer, May 17, left Panama Canal for Victoria.

Canadian Pioneer, May 12, arrived Montreal.

Canadian Planter, May 21, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Ranger, May 10, left Nanoose for Antwerp.

Canadian Transporter, May 12, left Vancouver for Halifax and United Kingdom.

Canadian Seigneur, May 16, left Panama Canal for United Kingdom.

Canadian Winner, May 7, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Skirmisher, May 5, arrived Glasgow.

Canadian Coaster, May 20, left Ocean Falls for Portland.

Canadian Farmer, May 20, left Vancouver for Ocean Falls.

Canadian Observer, May 18, left Astoria for San Pedro.

Canadian Rover, May 20, arrived San Francisco.

Canadian Prospector, May 18, left Panama Canal for Montreal.

### TRANSPACIFIC MAILS MAY, 1926

**China and Japan**

President Jackson—Due Shanghai May 27; Hong Kong, May 31.

Empress of Australia—Due Shanghai, May 30; Hong Kong, June 2.

Alabama Maru—Due at Yokohama May 29.

President McKinley—Due at Yokohama June 3; Shanghai, June 8; Hong Kong, June 12.

Empress of Asia—Mails close May 27, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama June 7; Shanghai, June 11; Hong Kong, June 14.

**Australia and New Zealand**

Aorangi—Due Sydney, May 29.

Ventura—Due at Sydney June 8.

Tahiti—Due at Wellington June 7; Sydney, June 12.

Niagara—Mails close June 3, 5 p.m. Due at Auckland June 21; Sydney, June 26.

### SHIPPING CALENDAR

**To Arrive**

Asuka Maru, from Orient, May 26.
Arizona Maru, from Orient, May 26.
Niagara, from Australia, May 28.
Empress of Canada, from Orient, May 31.
Protesilaus, from Orient, June 3.
Kaga Maru, from Orient, June 3.
President Grant, from Orient, June 4.
Arabia Maru, from Orient, June 6.
Empress of Russia, from Orient, June 14.
President Madison, from Orient, June 17.
Aorangi, from Australia, June 25.
Iyo Maru, from Orient, June 26.
President Jackson, from Orient, June 28.
Africa Maru, from Orient, June 29.
Empress of Australia, from Orient, June 30.

**To Sail**

Yokohama Maru, for Orient, May 27.
Empress of Asia, for Orient, May 27.
Niagara, for Australia, June 2.
President Jefferson, for Orient, June 3.
Empress of Canada, for Orient, June 10.
President Grant, for Orient, June 15.
Kaga Maru, for Orient, June 17.
Empress of Russia, for Orient, June 24.
President Madison, for Orient, June 27.
Aorangi, for Australia, June 29.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CALEDONIAN SOCIETY TOUR
June 11 — Athenia — for Glasgow
VETERANS TOUR
June 19 — Antonia — for Cherbourg
EDUCATIONAL TOUR
June 26 — Ascania — for Plymouth, Cherbourg, London
STUDENTS TOUR
July 2 — Aurania — for Liverpool
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| 11:00 A.M. | 12:00 Noon |
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| *3:15 P.M. | *4:15 P.M. |
| *5:00 P.M. | *6:00 P.M. |
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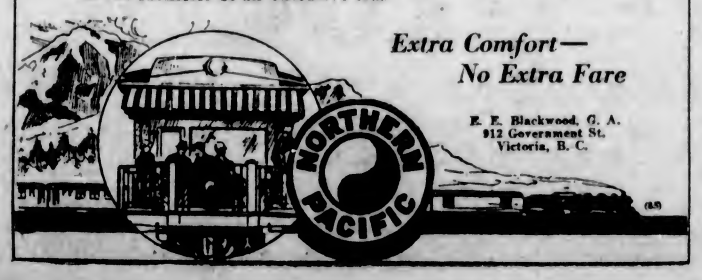


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Berengaria....June 23, July 14, Aug. 11
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## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

### BIRTHS

LAVIN—At the Jubilee Hospital, on May 23, to Mr. and Mrs. George Lavin, a daughter.

HUNTER—On the 25th inst., at the Hearthcroft Nursing Home, corner of Cook and Richardson Streets, to Capt. and Mrs. R. Hunter, 1153 Chapman Street, a son.

### DEATHS

WRIGHT—On May 24, 1926, at Victoria, B.C., John Alexander Wright, aged twenty-two years; born in Hennockburn, Scotland. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow and mother, in Victoria.

The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be held on Thursday afternoon at 3:30. Interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

### FUNERAL DIRECTORS

SANDS FUNERAL CO.
Office and Chapel: 1515 Quadra Street
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THOMSON'S FUNERAL HOME
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### COMING EVENTS 1

ASK for Kershaw's Loganberry Juice, 100% pure. Sold at all stores.

CONCERT by pupils of Miss Mona Jewell, Friday, May 28, 7:45, Foresters' Hall, Cormorant Street. Admission, 25c.

DANCE and refreshments, Wednesday, May 26, at West Road Hall, Saanich. Admission 50c.

HAMSTERLEY Lakeside Serenaders will play every Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 9 o'clock at Hamsterley Lakeside. Where I wish that I was when I am not.

QUEEN of Island, L.O.B.A. will hold a whist drive tonight in Orange Hall, Courtney Street.

### WANTED—MALE HELP 2

BOY willing to learn pastry cook trade. Apply to Bon Ton Confectionery, Sayward Building, Douglas Street.

ENGINEERS coached for certificate. W. G. Winterburn, 221 Central Building.

STRONG boy, 17 or 18, farm chores. Mrs. Kinloch, Cliffside Station.

TWO first-class sign painters. Only first class need apply. Work for the season for the right men. David Hall Sign Co., Ltd., Vancouver.

TWO salesmen wanted at once, exclusive territory. Apply Fuller Brush Co., 120 Pemberton Building, between 7 and 8 p.m.

WANTED, experienced help for dairy. Must be good milker. Apply 1250 McNair Street.

WANTED, competent middle-aged man as night clerk for city hotel. Apply with particulars of experience to Box 3226 Colonist.

WE will pay good wages to intelligent boy who wants to get on, age 15 to 20, store work. Box 5191, Colonist.

WANTED—Motor Mechanics and Motor Boat Engineers. Experience not necessary if you are willing to learn at the Training Institute for the Motor Industry. High-grade modern cars enable pupils to drive and repair any car on completion. Unlimited training until proficient. One Inclusive Fee. Free introduction to positions. Special facilities for car owners and ladies.
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### FEMALE HELP WANTED 3

HELP wanted week-ends. Apply by letter, Hamsterley Lakeside, Royal Oak P.O.

HOUSEKEEPER wanted immediately, who will help with one child, three years old. Box 186, Duncan, or phone 431.5.

LADY, alone, will share modern home with three reliable business ladies. Box 3175 Colonist.

RELIABLE girl for housework, able to take charge of children occasionally. Phone 4935R1, or write Box 5247 Colonist.

SPROTT-SHAW School and Rocklands Academy, affiliated. Courses: Commercial, Secretarial, Wireless, Preparatory, Collegiate, etc. Day and evening classes. Phone 28 for prospectus.

### FEMALE HELP WANTED 3 (Continued)

SHAMPOOING, marcelling, paper curling, curling, hair cutting, manicuring, at reduced prices. Phone 3580, B.C. School of Hairdressing, 2nd Floor, Sayward Bldg.

WANTED by June 1—Capable young woman for general housework in a suburban home close to bus line. Phone 52111.1.

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Small family, no cooking. Phone 423.

WANTED by June 1—Capable young woman for general housework in a suburban home. Phone 55111.1.

WANTED—Reliable children's nurse for Summer months. Apply Box 5175, Colonist.

### SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

BOOKKEEPER open for engagement an hour in mornings, also month-ends. Phone 7975L, after 5 p.m.

CARPENTER, work of any description done by responsible man. 555X, 1470.

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IF you want a carpenter, phone Secretary of local union, 7519L.

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YOUNG man wants to get experience with sheep on Vancouver Island or Coast; some previous experience. Box 2202, Colonist.

YOUNG man, alert, intelligent, good gardener, wants gardening or other work, $2.75 per day. Phone 4375X.

YOUNG Englishman (24), married, educated Dulwich College, fluent Spanish, fair French, 5 years Spain, 5 years business training, offers his services. Box 5140, Colonist.

### SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

GIRL wants work, mother's help or care of children. Phone 7374X.

JAPANESE women desires half day housework, permanent. Apply Box 5220 Colonist.

LADIES' lingerie laundered, also lace curtains on frames, private home. Phone 7844X.

REFINED English lady, 45, wishes housekeeper's position to widower; good cook. Box 3150 Colonist.

STYLISH dressmaker, recently from Paris, wishes work by day or at home. Phone 565Y.

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### EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL for good elocution. We get results. Phone 4301R or 154.

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### MUSIC 7

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GLADYS Shrapnel—Violin, piano. 1574 Clive Drive, Oak Bay Avenue (Brussels Conservatoire.)

MRS. Ruby Moore, violin, piano tuition, 3549 Quadra Street. Violin, Sefton College.

#### VIOLIN

ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. Phones Studio 2647 and Res. 5195.

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### TO EXCHANGE 8

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### TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

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### WANTED TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 12

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#### CLOTHING, FURS, ETC.

BLACK and white silk and wool sweater, also pleated skirt, $12. 4396R.

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FINE upright piano, cheap; $15 down, $7 monthly; or would rent. 1517 Quadra.

FOR quick sale—Good American upright piano; $160, can be seen at Four Mile House, Goldstream Road.

#### FURNITURE

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ALL junk you have, the Veteran Junk will buy. Phone 2921.

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AT Firwood Lodge, 505 Cook Street. First-class board-residence. Phone 1188.

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AT 845 Pandora, all conveniences, gas, hot water, close in; $10 month up.

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4-ROOM modern suite near High School, $17.
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### TO RENT—HOUSES 23

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| 5028 Byron St., 4 rooms | 15.00 |
| 535 Cornwall St., 5 rooms | 30.00 |
| 1350 Johnson St., 7 rooms | 55.00 |
| 2537 Bowker Ave., 5 rooms | 15.00 |
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| 1735 Leighton Rd., 5 rooms | 27.50 |
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| 2090 Cowan, 7 rooms, 3 bedrooms | 35.00 |
| 1248 Fort, 8 rooms, 4 bedrooms | 50.00 |
| 166 Joseph, 5 rooms, 5 bedrooms | 57.50 |
| 5535 Government, 7 rooms, 5 bedrooms | 55.00 |
| 5515 Government, 7 rooms, 5 bedrooms | 55.50 |
| 842 John, 5 rooms, 5 bedrooms | 55.50 |
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ATTRACTIVELY and completely furnished 5-room bungalow, near car and beach. 4395R.

A FURNISHED bungalow, 4 rooms, pantry, bathroom, close to St. Margaret's School. Apply 1930 Gladstone Avenue.

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### POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27

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#### MISCELLANEOUS

CHURN, 10-gal., foot and hand power, like new; bargain, $7.50. Island Exchange, 735 Fort Street.

### AUTOMOBILES 28

A CHANCE to get a fully equipped 1926 Cleveland Sedan, 4-wheel brakes, bumpers, and all accessories. This car has hardly been used. Owner must sell, reasons will be given anyone who applies. Car can be seen at 1505 Gladstone Avenue. Phone 4703L.

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$175—CHEVROLET 490 TOURING; has new tires and runs good.

$395—STAR TOURING, 1923, runs like new.

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Many Other Used Cars Are Available for Inspection at
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CYCLES AND MOTORCYCLES 29

B--CLE Sale now on at the Victory Cycle Works, 651 Johnson Street. Boys' bicycles, $7.50 to $17.50 and up. Fully guaranteed.

AUTOS FOR HIRE 30

CAR for hire, touring or shopping, $1.50 per hour. Phone 3887L.

LOST AND FOUND 32

FOUND—Young heifer. Phone 4661R.

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LOST, jade earring. Phone 6346X. Reward.

LOST, pointer bitch, white and tan, injured by motor Gorge Road, Monday, noon. Phone 6004L1.

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WILL lady who advertised scarf found, Box 5515 Colonist, communicate with Colonist ad. department.

WILL the person who was seen taking a small white dog, on Friday night, please return it to 516 Simcoe and save further trouble?

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES 34

$600—RESTAURANT. Central downtown location. Brightest, busiest, most dependable little business in town. Closes early, too.

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BOATS AND LAUNCHES 36

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Cottage of 8 rooms and ½ acre land, close to tram and near Willows Beach. Price ... $2,500
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Cottage of 5 rooms, on Cowichan Avenue. Price ... $5,450
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The furniture includes high-grade piano, large upholstered chairs in tapestry, inlaid mahogany writing table, heavy oak dining suite in leather, den suite in oak with leather cushions, bird's eye maple bedroom suite, heavy brass twin beds, chiffoniers, dressing tables, brass beds, bedding, linen, curtains, cutlery and dishes, rugs, kitchen gas range, Rond heater, and other essentials too numerous to mention, besides garden tools, hose, lawn mower, etc.

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$3250—DISTINCTIVE bungalow of five bright rooms, panelled and beamed; open fire, newly decorated and in A-1 shape. Pretty lawn. Front of house is a bower of honeysuckle. Fruit trees in garden. Cost $6,000. Owner going to England.

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$3000—WHY pay car fare? Buy this modern 8-room bungalow, basement, open fireplace, gas installed and strictly up to date. Good locality. Close to Government buildings.

$8,700, Four-room modern bungalow, Oak Bay, view of sea and close to car.

$1,850, Six-room house, newly decorated throughout, basement piped for furnace. Close to car, close to Jubilee Hospital. Terms like rent.

THE CITY BROKERAGE
628 View St. A. T. Abbey, Mgr. Phone 815

$1365—JUST completely overhauled—5-room house, Fernwood district, with good lot, garden, fruit trees, chicken houses, $200 down and balance to suit. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

$2400—NEAR Cloverdale car—4-roomed bungalow, open fireplace, beamed and panelled, 3-piece bath, cement basement and furnace; garage. $550 cash, balance monthly.

$5250—ONE of the very best Fairfield homes of eight rooms, finest of interior woodwork, den with fireplace, living room has open fireplace; furnace, laundry trays and gas. Garage.

MUTUAL REALTY (CHISHOLM)
416 Sayward Bldg.

$1850—OAK BAY BUNGALOW, FIVE LARGE ROOMS AND BATHROOM, OPEN FIRE, CEMENT WALKS, FINE LARGE GARDEN LOT. Garage and chicken house. Half block from car. Easy terms, low taxes.

$3800 — NEW, UP-TO-THE-MINUTE STUCCO BUNGALOW; VERY FINE, LARGE LIVING-ROOM, ART OPEN FIRE; DUTCH KITCHEN; dining alcove. Back hall with two large sunny bedrooms, linen closets; cement basement and furnace. Splendid open location, with best of car service. This property is just out of the builders' hands, but has to be sold immediately, hence the sacrifice.

$8500—VERY DESIRABLE OAK BAY RESIDENCE, SOUTH OF CAR LINE, STANDING IN HALF AN ACRE OF ATTRACTIVE GARDEN, stately oaks and lawns. Very large reception-rooms. Price represents less than half of the actual cost. Everything in perfect condition. View by appointment only.
H. C. HOWELL, 108 Pemberton Bldg.

$2000—NICE little three-roomed cottage on the waterfront, Cordova Bay. Good beach. Half acre of good land. Terms: $800 cash, balance 7% to suit.

$3000—CADBORO BAY HOME—Four-roomed bungalow; bathroom; basement, cement foundation; hot and cold water, electric light and wired for radio. Furnished, or reasonable reduction without the furniture.

F. F. HIGGS, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

BUNGALOW BARGAIN
$1950

FIVE-ROOMED bungalow, all good-sized rooms, concrete foundations, good bathroom, open fireplace in living-room. Garage and good garden lot with several fruit trees. Terms arranged on monthly basis.

OAK BAY BUNGALOW
$2250

NICE bungalow, close to good beach and handy to school and car. Vestibule hall, living-room with fireplace, back hall leading to two bedrooms, with three-piece bathroom between; large kitchen, separate pantry, basement. Extra deep garden lot with fruit trees, small fruits and chicken house. $500 cash, $25 per month.

FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW
$2600

MODERN five rooms; entrance hall, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, two bedrooms with clothes closets, 3-piece bathroom, separate pantry, cement basement, piped for furnace. House is in excellent condition, just painted and decorated. $500 cash, $20 per month.

LANGFORD LAKE

WATERFRONT lots and acreage on best part of lake for sale.

SUMMER COTTAGES TO RENT

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.
608 View Street Phone 55

ATTRACTIVE STUCCO BUNGALOW
NEW AND MODERN IN EVERY RESPECT
SUBSTANTIAL REDUCTION FOR QUICK SALE

Special Features:
(1) Six bright and airy rooms, faces south.
(2) Breakfast nook and every built-in convenience.
(3) Solid oak floors in dining-room, living-room and hall.
(4) Large open fireplace, furnace and cement basement.

To the particular home-seeker: We offer this brand new stucco bungalow that will stand the most rigid inspection at an attractive price for a quick sale. Situate on a good street with rural surroundings, close to street car and popular sandy beach.

FAVORABLE TERMS CAN BE ARRANGED
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1112 Broad Street Phone 1076

$2800—TERMS—Very superior, modern six-room home, between Burnside and Gorge, inside 1½-mile circle, three-piece bathroom, splendid cement basement and walks, good furnace. Super lot in lawns and flowers. Three minutes to car. Would cost to build today $4,250. This is one of those unusual buys. Let us show it to you. Just on the market today.

$3150—FOUL BAY—Charming 5-room bungalow, newly painted, modern three-piece bathroom, open fireplace, splendid cement basement and furnace. Cement driveway to new garage. Nice lot in lawn, flowers and vegetables. Free firewood. Ideally located between car and sea.

PATTERSON REALTY, 685 Yates

$4500—SEVEN-ROOM modern home, on the half-mile circle, including the furniture. The rent will meet the payments. Full particulars at office.

$3150—FIVE-ROOM modern bungalow, overlooking the park. This is walking distance.

$4250—OAK BAY—Modern bungalow, with two lots. Light taxes. Close to car and school.

E. E. HEATH
615 Yates Street Phone 274

WHY LIVE IN TOWN?
A Real Pick-Up for Only $1,750

4½ ACRES, NORTH QUADRA, and highly productive fruit and gardening land, all fenced, and 4 roomed cosy, warm house, modern bathroom, full basement, back and front verandas. Large new barn, garage, chicken house and wired runs. City water, light and telephone. Schools close by, bus passes your door. Forced sale, hence the sacrifice. Price is only $3,700. Property within 4 miles of City Postoffice.

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House Opposite P.O.

AN ATTRACTIVE LITTLE HOME CLOSE IN—NEAR CENTRAL PARK

WE have an exceptionally neat, cosy little 6-roomed bungalow in good residential locality, within half mile of the City Hall which we can offer for a quick sale at an unusually low figure.

This little home is modern in every respect, has furnace, set wash tubs, granite fireplace is panelled and beamed, and has many other pleasing features. Large double garage. Children's playhouse, etc.

Full sized lot all in nice garden with several full bearing fruit trees.

Circumstances make it necessary to dispose of this property at once, and it will therefore go to the first offer of

$2500

On Any Reasonable Terms
SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
640 Fort Street
Members of Victoria Real Estate Board

$250 CASH payment will buy lovely summer home, Portage Inlet. Extensive grounds, cultivated; electric light, city water. Now $1,700, balance to suit. Phone 6261L.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39
(Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON
Established 1887

FAIRFIELD

IF YOU ARE IN THE MARKET FOR PROPERTY IN FAIRFIELD BE SURE TO SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY

WE HAVE A MOST COMPREHENSIVE LIST OF HOUSES AND LOTS IN THIS DESIRABLE SECTION AND WE CAN SHOW YOU THE HOUSE YOU ARE LOOKING FOR

OAK BAY

REGARDING OAK BAY—

It must be obvious to all now that Oak Bay property is increasing in value and will continue to increase in value. In 1924 the assessment was reduced. This year a further reduction has been made, so that taxes are low, and going lower.

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.
Phone 385
Members Real Estate Board of Victoria, B.C.

SEMI-BUNGALOW BARGAIN

THIS six-roomed semi-bungalow is one of the very best built and completely appointed homes in the city. Every care was taken in the selection of all materials used in its construction, and it was built by the owner for himself, but for certain reasons he has placed it on the market at a real sacrifice. A few of the outstanding features are hardwood floors in reception hall, living-room and dining-room, French doors between living-room and dining-room, open fireplace. All rooms are large, bright and airy. Three bedrooms, one down and two up. Very bright Dutch kitchen, pass pantry, breakfast nook. Full basement, furnace, etc. This house has never been occupied and is all ready to step into. Stucco finish. Good location. Can arrange terms to suit. Must be seen to be appreciated. Price $4,790.

EIGHT ROOMS; WONDERFUL VIEW

AN unobstructed view of the sea and mountains, beautiful front lawn and garden, four lots. There are four rooms downstairs, living-room, den and dining-room, all have open fireplaces. Four large bedrooms, good closet off each. Polished floors throughout the house. Full basement, laundry off basement, furnace; double garage; chicken house. This house is in wonderful condition, inside and out. One of the best gardens in Victoria, all kinds of fruit, beautiful trees. Can show you over this house anytime by appointment, and can arrange terms to suit purchaser. Price $9,000. If you are in the market let us show you this.

GILLESPIE, HART & TODD, LTD.
Realtors 711 Fort Street
Real Estate Insurance Bonds

BUY NOW
WAGES GOING UP—
COST OF HOUSES GOING UP

$2200—OAK BAY—Four rooms and hall, panelled living-room, fireplace, built-in bookcase; two bedrooms with bath between, stationary tubs in basement; nice garden with fruit; near car and beach. $400 cash, balance $20 per month.

$3200—SIX-ROOM bungalow, built-in features; dining-room panelled; electric fixtures, kitchen range; concrete basement, furnace. Splendid neighborhood. Easy terms.

$4000—OAK BAY—Near beach—5 rooms and bath on ground floor, with three finished above; built-in bookcases and sideboard, full basement, furnace. Wonderful garden. Terms.

$4500—OAK BAY, near sea and car—Six-room bungalow, full basement, furnace; garage. Splendid condition. Easy terms.

$5500—NICE home of eight rooms, in Fairfield, near Beacon Hill. Owner, absent, will give good terms.

$125 AND UP—Nice vacant lots, city and Oak Bay.

ALDER & SONS, LIMITED
615 Broughton St. Phone 1915

OAK BAY HOME
VICTORIA AVENUE
Now starting to build
We can alter to suit you.

GREEN LUMBER COMPANY
Phone 5587

$4250—SIX-ROOM HOUSE, standing in 10 acres of land with river frontage, barn, chicken houses; small orchard; excellent water supply. Close to station, store and postoffice.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station E. & N. Rly.

5-ROOM bungalow, fully modern; two large lots, garage; good location. 1400 Ryan Street, Rockland Park. $4,000 or offer. Get your agent to see it.

$3950—PRETTY STREET BY PARK, IN JAMES BAY—SEVEN-ROOM EXTRA WELL-BUILT HALF TIMBER AND STUCCO HOME, GARAGE, BIG GARDEN LOT. Surrounded by new homes, this well-built home is offered at a reduced figure to insure quick sale. Handy to beach, park, car and schools, easy walk to town. Wide veranda, attractive entrance hall. Continual sunshine floods the living-room and dining-room, both of good size, open fireplace, nicely panelled, convenient kitchen, pantry; comfortable den; three bedrooms with two deep wardrobes in each, many other cupboards. Separate bath and toilet. High, full cement basement, splendid furnace (insuring extra warm house). Well-built garage. Large garden lot with rich black loam, all fenced. Owner asking $5,000, terms. Exclusive agents.

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
615 View Street Phone 3680
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

$3200

VERY attractive modern 5-room bungalow, on quiet street in best residential district in Esquimalt. Two lots in garden and fruit, from which last year the owner took fruit and vegetables to the value of $180. This home will bear inspection.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
624 Fort Street (at Broad)
Phone 5569
Real Estate and Insurance Agents
Members Real Estate Board of Victoria

WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES 40

CASH client wants modern 5 or 6-room bungalow. Must be a bargain. G. C. Howell, 108 Pemberton Bldg.

WANTED for Cash—Small house or shack in city. Apply Colonist Box 2178.

WANTED—Modern house with four bedrooms, two bathrooms, and about two lots, in high-class neighborhood. Will pay cash. Address Box 3166, Colonist.

SUMMER RESORTS 41

AT Cadboro Bay—Furnished cottages, rooms, tents, also camp sites. Phone 5207R1.

BRENTWOOD BAY—Pretty 4-room cottage for Summer season, close to water. Full particulars apply Victoria Realty Co., 610 View Street. Phone 3030.

FURNISHED cottage, Cordova Bay, to rent, June. Phone 4770.

FOR Rent at Cordova Bay—Four-roomed furnished cottage, with garage. Phone 6898R.

HARBOR House Hotel, Ganges Harbor—An ideal spot to spend a holiday. Bathing, boating, fishing, tennis, billiards. Good table. Terms moderate.

ELK HOTEL, COMOX

IDEALLY situated, thoroughly comfortable. Fishing, bathing, boating, tennis, etc. Also camping suites for rent. Train and stage daily.

COME ONCE!
Mrs. G. P. Osler Phone 161, Courtenay

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—Large furnished house, close to station and P.O. Good beach and all conveniences. F. T. Elford.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, V.I., B.C.—Farms, homes, waterfront lots for sale and rent. Fire and automobile insurance. E. M. Walbank.

SPEND your holiday on Shawnigan Lake at Savoy Lodge, Cliffside Station. Terms reasonable and English catering. Write Manageress.

SUMMER RESORTS 41
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VACATION TRIPS
HUNTING, CAMPING, FISHING
For Particulars Apply
GRAY & ADLER
Hunters' Lodge, McClure, B.C.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE WATERFRONTAGE

7-ROOMED house, 4 bedrooms, fully furnished; garage, boathouse, close to hotel. July, August and September. MARCHANT, 111 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 3074.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

PEMBERTON & SON
Established 1887

SAANICH BARGAINS

EXCELLENT brand new 4-roomed house and pantry, with built-in effects, on concrete foundations, high location and excellent view, about 4 miles from town on good paved road. Chicken house, workshop. City light, phone and water. Two lots, well fenced; fruit trees, rose garden, etc.
SACRIFICE PRICE OF $1750 TERMS

5 ACRES, all under cultivation, four miles out of town. Cabin; chicken house for 400 birds, good barn. Some fruit trees, good soil, fenced. City water, light and phone pass property.
$2750

AN excellent property of 9 ACRES, good soil and mostly cultivated, with eight-roomed house, in splendid condition. Large barn, chicken houses for 550 birds, and other outbuildings. Fine high situation; 5 minutes from school, store and bus, etc.
$6500 ON TERMS

12 ACRES, almost adjoining, with 1 or more acres cleared; all good soil and fenced.
$1300

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort St. Phone 385. Victoria, B.C.
Members Real Estate Board of Victoria, B.C.

ATTRACTIVE COUNTRY HOME ON PAVED ROAD, OVERLOOKING THE SEA, NEAR VICTORIA, 6 ACRES OF RICH GARDEN SOIL, well cultivated, drained and wire-fenced. Modern bungalow, electric light, water, sewerage and up-to-date plumbing. Sliding doors between living-room and dining-room, three large bedrooms, etc. Barns and chicken houses. Some nice fruit trees. Owner away, wishes to realize. Priced to sell at $8,000.
G. C. HOWELL, 105 Pemberton Bldg.

NORTH SAANICH

SELECT WATERFRONT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES, FARMS AND ACREAGE

SPARLING

AT DEEP COVE TEL. SIDNEY 181Y

BRENTWOOD BAY

FOR Sale, about 12 acres, within 10 minutes' walk of Brentwood College and the Saanich Arm. A good buy at $600 per acre. Box 1550, Colonist.

FOR Sale—One acre and three-quarters of orchard and two greenhouses and modern house and buildings, and crop. Apply 3575 Richmond Road, City.

NORTH QUADRA ACREAGE—4 acres, all fenced; large house (in need of repair), city water and light; $5,400, on terms. 5 acres, fenced and in wheat; $1,000, on terms.
J. N. HOLLAND, 206 Pemberton Bldg.

SAANICH FARM WITH 6-ROOM DWELLING AND 2 COTTAGES

26 ACRES, a large portion of which is in full bearing orchard, small portion treed and balance under cultivation. Large barn and two small cottages.

The dwelling, which is of 6 rooms, has been recently decorated, inside and out.

Just outside 14-mile circle and on main thoroughfare. Close to school, church, etc., and all mail deliveries. Bus passes the door.

THIS IS A SPLENDID BUY FOR
$10,000
TERMS

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
922 Government St. Phone 125

3 ACRES, good soil; 5-roomed cottage, outbuildings. Open for offer. 1025 Pendora. 5115L.

SAANICH WATERFRONT

92 ACRES on the seafront. About 40 acres under cultivation; 5-roomed farmhouse; barn and outbuildings, orchard and good water supply. The property faces south and is situated on a sheltered bay. Price,
$15,000
A. S. BARTON
110 Pemberton Building Phone 2901

ACREAGE WANTED 43

WANTED—Country home, with modern house and attractive surroundings, for cash client. G. C. Howell, 108 Pemberton Building.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

ARMADALE Subdivision—Offers wanted for a site comprising fourteen lots, with 208 feet frontage on Dallas Road, close to Ogden Point Docks. Full particulars of this investor's opportunity from Goodlake & Webb, 1005 Broad Street, members Victoria Real Estate Board.

FAIRFIELD Building Lot on Cambridge Street, near sea. A bargain ... $600

SPLENDID Lot on Mitchell Street, Oak Bay, 57 ft. by 522 ft. ... $800 OR OFFER

WISE & CO., LTD.
109 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 2441

SEAFRONTAGE—5½ acres, beautifully located, nice beach, best salmon fishing district. Well-built and modern 5-room bungalow, panelled, open fire, water piped in. Handy to main road and not far from town. Price only $3,500. J. B. LIVSEY, 204 Sayward Block. Tel. 604.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Executors and Trustees
Real Estate Department
Phone 4759
Belmont House, Victoria, B.C.

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY

WATERFRONT PROPERTY, 390 FEET, on one of the best beaches on Vancouver Island. At present there are six cottages, furnished, and sufficient space for six more, with waterfront facilities; good water supply.

In our opinion, this is a good business proposition. It is paying about 10% under the existing conditions.

We will be pleased to give you further particulars at our office.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

EXCHANGE or for Sale—Splendid Gulf Island farm of 200 acres, 50 acres in crop, good pasture; 1¼-mile seafrontage, southern exposure, sheltered; excellent water supply. Near school, P.O., church, store, brickyard and wharf. Eight miles from good market. Good buildings, house. Machinery, implements, stock and crops, as a going concern. Price $10,000. Would exchange for good modern suburban home, with small acreage, value about $4,000, balance arranged. Box 8217, Colonist, or phone 7057L1.

$1700 FOR a ½-acre Gordon Head fruit farm, in a high state of cultivation, with currants, logans, rasps, etc. Pretty 5-room cottage, barn, chicken house and garage; city light, water and phone. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

6 ACRE charming country home, all in variety paying crops, nine-mile circle, Victoria, price $4,200. A. Cosh, R.R. No. 1, Victoria, B.C.

**PROPERTY WANTED 45**

WANTED—Good building lot from owner. Oak Bay or Willows, cash. Apply Box 3182, Colonist.

**MONEY TO LOAN 52**

MORTGAGES
IMPROVED SECURITY REQUIRED

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
630 FORT STREET

ATTRACTIVE terms of repayment—Sums ranging from $500 upwards always available for first mortgage loans on business home or farm properties. Lowest current rate of interest. Strictly confidential. F. R. Brown & Sons, Ltd., 1112 Broad Street. Phone 1070.

1% MONEY

A LIMITED amount to loan on strictly first-class improved property at seven per cent. Helgerman, Formes & Co.

AGREEMENTS for sale and mortgages purchased. Money to loan. Foot & Manser, Barristers, Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg., Victoria.

**WANTED TO BORROW 53**

WANTED—$2,000. Will return $1,000 in ten years, or sooner, at 9% interest. Fully paid first-class property, improved, security. Box 3176, Colonist.

**PERSONAL 50**

CLAIRVOYANT, psychologist and phrenologist. Mme Nichols announces her removal from Fell Street to 1737 Oak Bay Avenue, corner Beverley Place. Phone 2671.

"DR." WM. IMRAY-GORDON since 1913 has been attending to hundreds of sick kitchens in the homes of Victoria, B.C., and introducing the famous high-grade sanitary "Wear-Ever" aluminum specialties and combinations, thereby contributing to the preservation of health in the community. Consultations regarding the equipment of your kitchen free. Phone 5161.

IF your watch does not give satisfaction bring it to the "Watch Bench," Browe Block, Broad St. Mainspring, $1; cleaning $1; work guaranteed. Opp. Spencer's.

IF the family of the late Thomas D. Bell, formerly of 1935 Sutlej Street, Victoria, B.C., who died some years ago, will communicate with Alexis Martin, Esq., solicitor, Room 327-8 Pemberton Building, Victoria, B.C., they may hear of something to their advantage.

LADY going to England soon would accept position of trust for part passage. Box 3216 Colonist.

MADAME OLIVIA, psychologist and clairvoyant, 1846 Fell Street, Oak Bay Avenue. Phone 3906.

OUR new stucco bungalow is nearing completion and we wish to equip the kitchen entirely with "Wear-Ever" Aluminum cooking utensils. Will the agent, Mr. William Imray (who called three months ago), please call at 5917 Cook Street, bringing his samples?

THOS. PLIMLEY, Ltd., for guaranteed used cars and trucks. Liberal terms. Phone 637.

WANTED—To get in touch with someone (Canadian or American), to write music for a poem. Phone 4307R.

WATCHES, clocks and jewelry cleaned and repaired. Moderate charges. Work guaranteed. Dewar, Room 110, Woolworth Bldg. Phone 2353.

**AGENTS WANTED 59**

AGENTS — $500 monthly easy selling Magic Gas. $1 box equals 25 gallons gasoline. Proven merits. Your name on cans. 300% profit. Write quick. P. A. Lefebvre & Co., Alexandria, Ont.

500 NAIL HOLES in a Palconseal-treated tire, yet leaks no air. Inexpensive, harmless, guaranteed. Agents, write quick for unusual money-making proposition. P. A. Lefebvre & Co., Alexandria, Ont.

**TIMBER BROKERS 60**

CROWN grant and licensed timber for sale. Cruisers' reports and estimates furnished, with topographical maps. Log brokers. Girdwood & Lewis, Ltd., 117-118 Pemberton Bldg.

IN the market for 100 to 500 millions of Crown grant timberlands. Newcomer to B.C.; mean business. Give price and location. Box 1844, Colonist.

RYAN, McINTOSH, HIBBERSON, BLAIR TIMBER CO., LTD., TIMBER CRUISERS, VALUATORS AND CONSULTING ENGINEERS. Timber for sale in large or small tracts. Crown grant or licence, in any part of the Province. 732 BELMONT HOUSE, VICTORIA.

WE have for sale timber, Crown grant or licence, large or small tracts. Pemberton & Son.

$150 CASH takes balance standing timber for cordwood. Happy Valley. Particulars Box 5081, Colonist.

NEWPORT AVENUE LOTS

The only available two 100-ft. frontages adjoining golf links are now offered for sale. These at one time cost $5,000 each, but we have a special offer to make you. Apply

H. G. CHRISTY & CO., LTD.
Times Building, Victoria

EXCEPTIONALLY EASY TERMS

can be arranged on this well designed 6-Roomed California Bungalow, situated on one of Oak Bay's avenues, close to cars, schools and sea.
Reduced Price, $4,100
Small cash payment, assume mortgage, pay off owner's equity at $35 per month.
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BURGLARY AND PETTY LARCENY INSURANCE
Annual premium on $2,000..... $8.50
Annual premium on $1,000..... $6.00
EMPIRE REALTY CO., LTD.
641 Fort Street


## TENDERS

Tenders are invited for the excavation for and laying of an eight-inch cement tile drain to cut off seepage water from the Carmoor Building, Fort Alberni. Length of drain approximately 480 feet. Specifications can be seen at office of Alfred Carmichael & Co., Limited, 331 Fort Street. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be in not later than June 10, 1926.

V. 2821.


McCloy & Co.
AUCTIONEERS

Extensive Sale
Thursday at 1:30 P.M.
In Our Auction Halls
Corner Pandora and Blanshard Sts.

Large Quantity of
Household Furniture

including the contents of an eight-room house sold per instructions from the Royal Trust Co., Ltd.

Full particulars Thursday morning.

McCloy & Co.
Auctioneers Phone 1431

New Furniture
HOME FURNITURE COMPANY
F. W. BARTHOLOMEW
625 Fort Street Phone 3119


# EMPRESS OF CANADA CARRYING BIG LIST

**Canadian Pacific Liner Due From Orient on May 31—Asia Sails Outbound Tomorrow**

Unusually large numbers of passengers are being carried by transpacific liners from the Orient and the Empress of Canada, which sailed from Yokohama on Saturday, is no exception. This vessel, which is bringing in a list of more than 500 travelers, is due here on May 31.

According to latest advices received by Mr. L. D. Chetham, local representative, the Empress of Canada has 573 passengers on board. 230 of whom are traveling first class. One hundred and twenty-five of the saloon passengers are en route to Europe, while the remainder are for local cities and Eastern Canadian and U.S. points. Forty Chinese steerage passengers will debark here.

After loading a capacity cargo of freight and embarking a light list of passengers, the Empress of Asia will sail for the Orient on Thursday night. Captain L. D. Douglas, who was in command last trip, is going on leave for several months.

Included in the Asia's cargo are large shipments of flour, lumber, spelter and a valuable shipment of automobiles for Japan and China.

## *Shipping Information*

**SUNRISE AND SUNSET MAY**

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1926.

| | Sunrise | Sunset | | Sunrise | Sunset |
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| 1 | 4:56 | 7:26 | 17 | 4:31 | 7:47 |
| 2 | 4:55 | 7:28 | 18 | 4:30 | 7:48 |
| 3 | 4:51 | 7:22 | 19 | 4:29 | 7:49 |
| 4 | 4:50 | 7:24 | 20 | 4:27 | 7:51 |
| 5 | 4:48 | 7:30 | 21 | 4:26 | 7:52 |
| 6 | 4:47 | 7:32 | 22 | 4:25 | 7:53 |
| 7 | 4:46 | 7:35 | 23 | 4:24 | 7:54 |
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| 9 | 4:43 | 7:35 | 25 | 4:22 | 7:58 |
| 10 | 4:42 | 7:37 | 26 | 4:22 | 7:59 |
| 11 | 4:40 | 7:38 | 27 | 4:21 | 8:00 |
| 12 | 4:39 | 7:40 | 28 | 4:20 | 8:01 |
| 13 | 4:38 | 7:41 | 29 | 4:18 | 8:02 |
| 14 | 4:36 | 7:43 | 30 | 4:18 | 8:03 |
| 15 | 4:34 | 7:44 | 31 | 4:17 | 8:04 |
| 16 | 4:33 | 7:46 | | | |

**TIDES AT VICTORIA MAY**

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| 5 | 2:13 | 7.6 | 5:37 | 7.2 | 15:20 | 5.2 | 23:29 | 7.6 |
| 6 | 4:48 | 8.0 | 6:33 | 7.0 | 15:15 | 3.2 | 23:51 | 7.4 |
| 7 | 6:04 | 8.0 | 10:23 | 6.5 | 17:11 | 2.5 | | |
| 8 | 6:14 | 8.0 | 0:51 | 6.0 | 11:03 | 2.5 | 12:04 | |
| 9 | 0:35 | 6.2 | 7:26 | 5.2 | 12:25 | 6.2 | 18:45 | 4.9 |
| 10 | 1:02 | 4.4 | 8:17 | 4.6 | 13:19 | 5.2 | 19:44 | 4.7 |
| 11 | 1:27 | 2.7 | 9:07 | 4.0 | 14:26 | 4.2 | 20:38 | 4.5 |
| 12 | 1:49 | 1.3 | 9:26 | 1.5 | 18:21 | 7.2 | 21:13 | 4.0 |
| 13 | 5:09 | 2.9 | 10:16 | 1.2 | 14:19 | 7.5 | 21:58 | 7.4 |
| 14 | 2:26 | 6.7 | 10:54 | 1.1 | 19:07 | 7.8 | 22:41 | 7.1 |
| 15 | 2:38 | 8.2 | 11:12 | 1.2 | 22:03 | 6.1 | 23:53 | 6.0 |
| 16 | 2:44 | 6.4 | 12:24 | 1.5 | 22:46 | 6.2 | | |
| 17 | 1:14 | 6.0 | 2:36 | 3.1 | 13:16 | 2.0 | 15:16 | 2.3 |
| 18 | | | | | 14:01 | 2.6 | 23:36 | 2.2 |
| 19 | | | | | 14:46 | 3.0 | 23:43 | 2.3 |
| 20 | | | | | 15:31 | 3.5 | 23:41 | .1 |
| 21 | 3:15 | 5.6 | 9:55 | 5.2 | 15:17 | 6.2 | 23:43 | 5.1 |
| 22 | 7:56 | 5.1 | 11:19 | 5.5 | 17:06 | 4.7 | | |
| 23 | 8:06 | 6.0 | 7:14 | 4.4 | 12:57 | 5.3 | 17:44 | 4.5 |
| 24 | 0:26 | 6.2 | 7:53 | 5.6 | 11:03 | 6.1 | 16:42 | 5.7 |
| 25 | 0:45 | 3.3 | 2:16 | 2.7 | 14:11 | 6.4 | 19:37 | 5.3 |
| 26 | 1:05 | 4.5 | 3:41 | 1.5 | 15:26 | 5.7 | 20:05 | 6.7 |
| 27 | 1:19 | 6.7 | 9:19 | 1.5 | | | | |
| 28 | 1:34 | 8.0 | 9:49 | .9 | | | | |
| 29 | 1:47 | 8.1 | 10:43 | 0.4 | | | | |
| 30 | 2:12 | 8.1 | 11:30 | 0.4 | | | | |
| 31 | 2:41 | 8.0 | 12:15 | 0.6 | 12:14 | 6.1 | | |

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any time, add 18 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Question" at Shoreditch County Court—What are your means?

Woman—A lazy husband and my fare home.

## *He Gives $50 to Each Baby Born in His House*

MR. MAX DICK

Model landlord of New York's East Side, has not raised his rents in thirty years and presents $50 to every baby born in his apartment house. He is seeking a site for a "bigger and better house for babies."

## Winnipeg Grain Letter

WINNIPEG, May 25.—Wheat: Export buying kept into the pit this morning, which, together with some short covering, was sufficient to absorb the offerings, and after a rather erratic course in which the fluctuations appeared at times to be difficult to hold, the market closed at the top; the May being 1⅛ and July ⅝ cents above the close Saturday. Outside of the export business, which was actually only moderate in volume, the news generally appeared to be of a bearish character. The weather in Europe has turned favorable and warmer which will aid the growing crops and rush them to maturity. Good rains were received over large areas of Spring wheat territory, both sides of the international boundary, and more is promised for today and Wednesday. Temperatures have turned much cooler. New York confirmed only a moderate export business, but one large export house is estimated to have taken half a million bushels of May wheat out of local market this morning. The late strength in Chicago also helped this market to close at the day's high points. Liverpool was only steady, closing ¼ to ½ higher, but only partly following advance on this side while they have been closed since last Friday.

The local cash market was dull and without special features. There was no particular demand for any grade and all spreads closed practically unchanged from Saturday. No. 1 Northern losing a fraction of its premium over May. The Canadian visible decreased 5,078,500 bushels for the week, about as expected. World shipments last week were 13,818,000 bushels, of which almost 8,000,000 went from North America—largely Manitobas.

Coarse Grains: Only a small nominal trade was passing in these markets, which were without feature. Prices were firm, in sympathy with the advance in wheat: Oats closing ⅜ to ½ cent up; barley, ½ and ¼ cent higher and rye, 1⅛ and ¾ cent up.

Flax: Firm, steady market, no pressure in evidence, but demand very moderate.

# TODAY'S RADIO

*Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations*

**CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5)**—8 p.m., studio programme consisting of instructive talks.

**KTAB, Oakland (240)**—8-10 p.m., studio programme, featuring The Ramon Oden Hawaiian Quartette; Ralph L. Cavanagh, baritone; Lillian Parker, pianist; Verna Pace, soprano; Maud Hogan, soprano, in a group of Southern songs.

**KOWW, Walla, Walla, Wash. (256)**—12-1 p.m., Kiwanis Club programme. 7-7:30 p.m., weather, markets, talk on "Banking." 8 p.m., studio programme. 10-12 p.m., orchestra.

**KOA, Denver, Colo (323)**—8 p.m., Special all-night programme, during which KOA will attempt to reach broadcast listeners of thirty-five countries and nationalities. Musical stars of Denver, representing the finest talent in the West, have been assembled for this portentious offering. Serving as a background to this dusk-to-daybreak programme will be more than seven hours of song, featuring patriotic airs and folk numbers of each of the countries to which KOA will transmit. Two internationally famous speakers—Judge Ben B. Lindsey, of Denver, eminent juvenile jurist, and Deane H. Dickason, of the Canadian Pacific, raconteur and travelogist—will be the principal speakers. Also, there will be messages of greeting to listeners-in by the heads of two international press associations, as follows: Kent Cooper, general manager of the Associated Press, and M. Koenigsberg, president of the International News Service. The entire programme is sponsored by Rotary Club, International.

**KGW, Portland, Ore. (492)**—9 p.m., concert of vocal and instrumental music. 10-11 p.m., courtesy concert.

**KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (455)**—10-11:15 a.m., The Home Maker's Half Hour; health building exercises for the housewife; Cheerio programme for the shut-ins. 12:30-1:30 p.m., The Rotary Club luncheon programme from the Olympic Hotel. 4:15-5 p.m., The Times news bulletins, weather report and recipes. 6:25 p.m., Sports and Amusement Revue. 6:45 p.m., courtesy musical programme. 8:15 p.m., weather report; Automobile Club news. 8:30-10 p.m., studio programme.

**KWSC, Pullman, Wash. (349)**—7:15-9 p.m., Farm Flashes; musical programme, with talks of general interest.

**KNX, Hollywood, Cal. (337)**—8 p.m., courtesy programme. 10 p.m., feature programme. 11 p.m., Ray West's Cocoanut Grove orchestra.

**KQW, San Jose, Cal. (227)**—6:30 p.m., U.S. Dept. of Agriculture programme. 7 p.m., California Farm Bureau evening radio news. 8 p.m., prayer and praise service of the First Baptist Church.

**CFYC, Vancouver, B.C. (411)**—4:30-5:30 p.m., studio programme.

**KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467)**—5:30-11 p.m., continuous varied programme.

**CFXC, New Westminster, B.C. (291)** 6-7 p.m., studio programme.

**CKCD, Vancouver, B.C. (411)**—8:30-8:50 p.m., news. 8:50-9:30 p.m., Instrumental Trio.

**KJR, Seattle, Wash. (384)**—11:30-12 noon—Post Intelligencer talk: "What to Prepare for Tonight's Dinner. 5:40-6 p.m., Closing New York stock quotations. 6-6:10 p.m., weather reports and "The Box Office" daily resume of doings at the theatres. 8:30 p.m., courtesy studio programme. 10-11 p.m., Olympic Calpeteers studio programme.

**KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428)**—6:30 p.m., Waldemar Lind and the States Restaurant orchestra. 7-7:30 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orchestra. 8 p.m., programme by the Atwater Kent artists. 9 p.m., Goodrich Silvertown Cord orchestra. 10-11 p.m., Waldemar Lind and the States Restaurant orchestra.

**CFCQ, Vancouver, B.C. (411)**—11:30-1 p.m., radio dealers' programme. 3:30-4:30 p.m., variety programme. 5:30-6 p.m., news items. 7:30-8:30 p.m., weekly lecture on "Health."

**KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508)**—8-9 p.m., educational programme. 9-10 p.m., special programme.

**KFWA, Ogden, Utah (261)**—8 p.m., dance music by Olie Reeves and his orchestra. 9 p.m., music by remote control from Paramount Theatre. 10-11 p.m., dance music by Olie Reeves and his orchestra.

**CFDC, Vancouver, B.C. (411)**—1:30-2:30 p.m., home and social activities. 6-7:30 p.m., dinner hour and news. 9:30 p.m., weekly talk, Native Sons of Canada. 9:40 p.m., studio programme. 10:30-11:30 p.m., musical programme by courtesy Moorite Products of Canada, Limited.

**KFWI, So. San Francisco, Cal. (224)**—8 p.m., half hour of humorous programme by Radiocast Weekly. 8:30 p.m., dance music by Paul Kelli's Trovatore Orchestra. 9:30 p.m., meeting of the Tom Cats; Tom Catton at the microphone. 11 p.m.-1 a.m., Poul Kelli's Trovatore Orchestra.

**KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252)**—8 p.m., Bill Hatch and his Oakmont Country Club Orchestra, and assisting artists. 9 p.m., courtesy programme, featuring the Romola Orchestra and assisting artists. 10-11 p.m., Warner Bros.' Frolic.


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# OCEAN PASSENGER TRAVEL INCREASES

**Movement Through American Ports Totals 1,670,579, According to Washington Report**

Water-borne passenger traffic through American ports increased more than ten per cent during the calendar year 1925, as compared with 1924, according to the annual report on ocean-borne passenger traffic recently issued by the Bureau of Research, United States Shipping Board, says a statement from Washington, D.C., issued by the Board.

A total of 1,670,579 passengers was carried during 1925, and 1,514,323 in 1924. The inbound movement showed the largest gain, with an increase from 776,860 to 888,655, or fourteen per cent, while the number of outbound passengers increased only a little more than six per cent.

More than ninety-three per cent of the movement was between American ports and foreign countries, fifty-one per cent being classed as overseas foreign, and forty-two per cent as nearby foreign, that is with Canada, West Indies and the middle American republics. Passenger vessels plying to and from the non-contiguous United States territories of Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico carried slightly more than six per cent and vessels in intercoastal trade carried about one per cent of the total movement.

About fifty-eight per cent of the passengers traveled first class and twenty per cent second class, the remainder, slightly more than twenty-two per cent, traveling third class. A closer study of the movement by classes shows that only twenty-five per cent of the overseas foreign passengers were ranked first class, while more than ninety-nine per cent of those moving to and from nearby foreign countries traveled in this manner. The first-class passenger traffic with non-contiguous United States territories aggregated about seventy-five per cent of the whole, while forty-seven per cent of the intercoastal passengers traveled first class.

The differences in the proportions of the first-class movement is no doubt assignable to various reasons, but can be traced largely to the differences in the types of vessels employed in the various trades, and to the influence which foreign immigration has on the overseas foreign movement.

Hubby—My dear, your butcher gives you short weight for your money.

Wife—But consider, my dear, the long wait you give him for his.

## *Is Awarded Medal for Meritorious Achievement*

PROF. J. C. McLENNAN

Of Toronto University, awarded the Sir Joseph Flavelle medal for meritorious achievement in Science by the Royal Society of Canada

# MINING MAN CLAIMS $100,000 FOR LIBEL

**Vancouver Broker Sues for Damages—Defendant Asks $150,000 in Counter-Action**

VANCOUVER, May 25.—A writ has been issued against John S. Horgan, formerly of New Jersey, but now of Vancouver, by Charles Henry Unverzagt, mining broker, the plaintiff seeking to recover the sum of $100,000 as damages.

Plaintiff alleges that defendant slandered him on divers occasions by maliciously writing and publishing false assertions to various people with whom plaintiff was in the habit of doing business.

A counter claim by defendant alleges that Unverzagt was guilty of the same practices toward him and he in turn is suing Unverzagt for $150,000 damages. Trial is set for early in June.

## *Body Taken to Vancouver*

VANCOUVER, May 25.—The remains of Joseph Goossens, aged forty-five, native of Belgium, who was drowned on Saturday at Loughboro Inlet, are in Vancouver, awaiting the arrival of witnesses to testify at an inquest.

# SHE-WOLF MOTHERS CANINE CHILDREN

**Peculiar Test Is Made of Maternal Instinct at London Zoological Gardens**

LONDON, May 25.—The arrival of the litter of four young prairie wolf cubs at the London Zoological Gardens has had a really strange sequel.

As it was not known if the she-wolf knew her job, her cubs were given to a maternal sheep dog, who had also two pups of her own. The mixed nursery seemed rather a handful for the foster mother, and the two puppies had to be taken from their mother.

They were passed over to the wolf, before their eyes were open, and the savage matron could please herself about the matter—she might treat them as rations or as relations, as food or as family.

She has taken them to her heart instead of to her fangs, and the puppies have found a "ma" and not a maw.

The families thus strangely "swapped" are both thriving, but the Zoo authorities dare not make another change over. The she wolf would certainly destroy her own cubs, now that they have a doggy smell, and the sheep dog, it is believed, would either kill or neglect her pups if they came back to her.

## *Non-Metallic Mineral Output Shows Big Gain*

Production of manufactured non-metallic mineral products in Canada in 1925 reached a value of $115,587,316, an increase of nearly 4.5 million dollars over 1924 and the highest since 1920 for this group of industries, according to the Mining, Metallurgical and Chemical Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. The 925 operating plants in these industries in 1925 representing a capital investment of 169 million dollars used $63,785,043 worth of raw materials to produce commodities valued at $115,587,316, factory prices, creating thus an added wealth of $51,802,273 by the manufacturing processes. Employment was afforded to an average of 17,032 persons during the year and $21,944,250 was paid out in salaries and wages.

Increased production was evident in nearly every industry in the group. Production of petroleum products such as gasoline, fuel oil and lubricants amounted in value to $50,678,794, an increase of 1.3 million dollars over 1924; the manufacture of cement products and sand-lime brick, in terms of values, showed an increase of a million dollars; the production of coke plants rose three-quarters of a million dollars in value above 1924; gas works showed a like increase in the value of output; the aerated waters industry, the monumental and ornamental stone industry and the miscellaneous non-metallic mineral products group each advanced a half-million dollars in output value; asbestos and allied products showed a small advance; manufactures from imported clays fell off slightly, and the total production value for the glass industry was down three-quarters of a million dollars. Over all, there was an increase of 4.5 million dollars or about 4 per cent above the value of the output in the next preceding year.

Imports into Canada of non-metallic minerals and their products totalled $138,100,676 in value during 1925 as compared with $135,130,136 in the previous year. Imports of coal and its products were valued at $65,737,709 and imports of petroleum, asphalt and their products were worth $44,160,082. United States supplied $111,850,844 worth or 81 per cent of Canada's imports in this class, while only 9 per cent came from the United Kingdom. Exports from Canada during 1925 were valued at $24,343,120 as against $20,949,947 in 1924. Asbestos and its products were worth $9,737,964; coal and its products were valued at $5,205,728, and stone and its products at $6,524,933. The United States took 68 per cent of Canada's exports of non-metallic minerals and their products, the United Kingdom took 6 per cent, and the remaining 26 per cent went to other countries.


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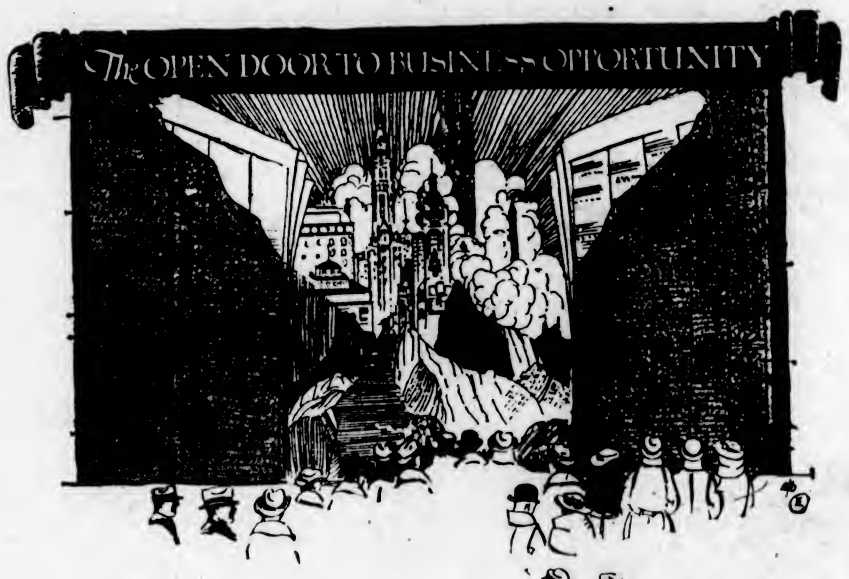


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# Finance and Commerce

## PROFIT-TAKING HALTS ADVANCE

### STRENGTH AND ACTIVITY OF RAILS AND OILS FEATURE MARKET TRADING

**Canadian Pacific Makes Gain—Bond Prices Make Forward Movement to Higher Level**

NEW YORK, May 25.—Heavy profit-taking sales by professional traders impeded the resumption of the upward movement of prices in to-day's stock market, which was featured by the strength and activity of the rail and oil shares.

Buying of the railroad shares was stimulated by the publication of another series of unusually favorable April earnings statements. Union Pacific, Lehigh Valley and Lackawanna showed increases in net railway operating income last month over the same month of the previous year. Atlantic Coast Line closed three points higher at 200 after having touched 201 1-4, and net gains of a point or more were recorded by Canadian Pacific, Denver & Rio Grande Western preferred; Erie, second preferred; Katy preferred, and Seaboard Air Line preferred.

Bullish operations in the oil shares were based on reports of large current earnings, a further extension of recent gasoline price advances and Federal dividend and merger rumors.

Call money held steady at four per cent all day, although large sums are reported available with the result that the rate was again shaded in the outside market. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Total sales were 1,298,200 shares.

A general forward movement in the bond market carried prices back to around the highest levels of investment buying with some of the more speculative convertibles following the upward trend of stocks. Underlying conditions remained unchanged, with time money in plentiful supply.

Replacement orders for investment accounts were not confined to any special section of the market, although high-grade public utilities probably profited most from this type of business.

### FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 25.—Foreign exchanges easy. Quotations in cents.
France—3.23½; cables 3.24.
Italy—3.53; cables 3.53½.
Belgium—3.24¼.
Germany—23.86.
Holland—40.14.
Norway—21.64.
Sweden—26.15.
Denmark—26.26.
Switzerland—19.36.
Spain—14.68.
Greece—1.26.
Poland—.09.
Czecho-Slovakia—2.96.
Jugo-Slavia—1.76½.
Austria—.14125.
Rumania—.28.
Argentina—40.125.
Brazil—15.16.
Tokio—47.125.
Shanghai—72.00.
Montreal—100.05¼.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

| | High | Low | Bid |
|---|---|---|---|
| Allis Chalmers | 88 | 80 | 88 |
| Allied Chem. | 116-6 | 114-5 | 115-5 |
| Am. Beet Sugar | 22-2 | 22-2 | 22-2 |
| Am. Bosch Mag. | 17-4 | 17-4 | 17-4 |
| Am. Can. | 46-2 | 45-7 | 46 |
| Am. Car. & Fdy. | 34-4 | 34-4 | 34-4 |
| Am. Intl. Corp. | 36 | 36 | 36 |
| Am. Linseed | 29-4 | 29-4 | 29-4 |
| Am. Locomotive | 98-2 | 97-6 | 98-6 |
| Am. Sum. Tob. | 14-4 | 14-2 | 14-4 |
| Anaconda | 46-4 | 46-6 | 46-4 |
| Armour "A" | 13-7 | 13-7 | 13-7 |
| Am. Woolens | 23-2 | 22-6 | 22-2 |
| Am. Tobacco "B" | 113 | 113 | 113 |
| Am. Smelter | 115-4 | 113-4 | 113-4 |
| Am. Steel Fdy. | 41 | 40-5 | 41 |
| Am. Sugar | 66-4 | 66-4 | 66-4 |
| Am. Tel. & Tel. | 148-5 | 147-7 | 148 |
| Am. Tobacco | 118 | 116 | 116 |
| Atlantic Gulf | 29-5 | 25-2 | 29-6 |
| Atchison | 128-4 | 127 | 127 |
| Baldwin Loco. | 106-2 | 103-2 | 104-2 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 89-7 | 89 | 88-4 |
| California Pete | 29-4 | 32-1 | 32-1 |
| California Packing | 134-6 | 133-4 | 134-6 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 38-7 | 39 | 38-2 |
| Brooklyn Manhat | 68-2 | 67-4 | 67-4 |
| Cerro De Pasco | 63 | 62 | 69 |
| Can. Pacific | 152-2 | 151 | 152 |
| Central Leather | 9-2 | 8-2 | 8-2 |
| Chandler pfd | 26-4 | 25-4 | 29-4 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 124-3 | 123-2 | 124-9 |
| Chi. Gt. Western | 8-4 | 7-4 | 8-4 |
| Chi., Mil. & St. P. | 11 | 10-7 | 11 |
| Chi. & Northwest | 79-5 | 72-4 | 79-4 |
| Chi., R.I. & Pac. | 51 | 50-4 | 50-4 |
| Chrysler Motor | 26-4 | 25-6 | 25-5 |
| Coco Cola | 150-2 | 148-7 | 149-7 |
| Col. Fuel & Iron | 29-5 | 28-3 | 28-3 |
| Columbia Gas | 78-6 | 78 | 78 |
| Cons Gas | 83-4 | 83-2 | 83-2 |
| Cont. Can. | 74-7 | 74-3 | 74-7 |
| Cont. Oil | 20-1 | 20-1 | 20-1 |
| Cont. Motor | 10-1 | 10-1 | 10-1 |
| Corn Products | 40-3 | 33-6 | 40 |
| Cosden Oil | 32-5 | 31-6 | 32-5 |
| Crucible Steel | 67-4 | 67-4 | 67-4 |
| Cuba Am. Sugar | 25 | 25 | 25 |
| Davison Chem. | 35-2 | 35-2 | 35-2 |
| Del., Lack & West. | 133 | 133 | 133 |
| Dodge Bros. | 23-6 | 22-5 | 23-3 |
| Dodge Bros. pfd. | 82 | 82 | 82 |
| Dupont Powder | 214-4 | 211-6 | 214-2 |
| Elec. Power | 18 | 17-6 | 18 |
| Engineer Gold | 12-4 | 12-4 | 12-4 |
| Erie | 23-4 | 22-1 | 22-4 |
| Erie First pfd. | 40-2 | 40 | 40 |
| Famous Players | 124-6 | 122-2 | 123-4 |
| Fisher Body | 81-5 | 81-2 | 81-2 |
| Foundation Co. | 93-2 | 91 | 93-2 |
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| General Asphalt | 65-2 | 64-3 | 65-3 |
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| General Electric | 217 | 214-1 | 214-2 |
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| Inspiration | 21-5 | 21-5 | 21-2 |
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| Manhattan Elec. | 73-2 | 72-1 | 72-1 |
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| Mex. Seaboard | 5-2 | 5 | 5 |
| Miami | 11-4 | 11-4 | 11-4 |
| Miss. Pacific | 33-6 | 33 | 33 |
| Miss. Pac. pfd. | 82-2 | 81-6 | 82-2 |
| Montana Power | 76-5 | 73-5 | 76-5 |
| Montgomery Ward | 61-2 | 60-5 | 60-5 |
| Moon Motor | 21-3 | 21-5 | 21-5 |
| Motherlode | 6-1 | 6-1 | 6-1 |
| Motor Wheel | 23-4 | 23-4 | 23-4 |
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| Shell Union | 23-2 | 25-2 | 26-2 |
| Sinclair Cons. | 22-5 | 22-2 | 29-4 |
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| Southern Pac. | 101-4 | 101 | 101-2 |
| Southern Railway | 112 | 111-5 | 112 |
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| Standard Oil, Cal. | 56-2 | 56-1 | 52-5 |
| Standard Oil, N.J. | 44-5 | 44-2 | 44-5 |
| Standard Oil, N.Y. | 31-4 | 31-4 | 31-4 |
| Stewart Warner | 71-9 | 70-4 | 71-2 |
| St. Louis & S. Fran. | 54 | 33-4 | 54 |
| Stromburg Carb | 61 | 61 | 61 |
| Studebaker | 49-2 | 48-2 | 48-7 |
| Stutz Motor | 25 | 26 | 23 |
| Tennessee Copper | 11-5 | 11-2 | 11-5 |
| Texas Co. | 52-7 | 51-6 | 52-2 |
| Texas Gulf Sulphur | 134 | 135 | 132 |
| Texas Pacific R.R. | 55 | 53-6 | 54 |
| Tex. Pac. C. & O. | 15-4 | 14-7 | 15-4 |
| Timken Roller | 43-7 | 49-4 | 49-7 |
| Tobacco Prod. | 102-7 | 102-2 | 102-2 |
| Tobacco Prod. "A" | 106-7 | 105-7 | 108-7 |
| Transcont. Oil | 3-6 | 3-2 | 3-6 |
| Union Pacific | 450 | 145-4 | 120 |
| U.S. Cast Iron Pipe | 163 | 162 | 163 |
| U.S. Ind. Alco. | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| U.S. Rubber | 53 | 52-1 | 52-1 |
| U.S. Steel | 122-4 | 121-5 | 121-7 |
| Universal Pipe | 19-4 | 19-4 | 19-4 |
| Vanadian | 34-4 | 24-4 | 24-4 |
| Wabash | 73 | 72 | 79 |
| Western Union | 132-4 | 139-4 | 125-4 |
| Western Pac. | 36-4 | 36-4 | 36-1 |
| Westing. Elec. | 66-5 | 66 | 66-5 |
| White Motor | 54-2 | 24-1 | 54-1 |
| Willys-Overland | 21-5 | 21 | 21 |
| Willys-Overland pfd. | 94-7 | 94-7 | 94-7 |
| Woolworth | 143-4 | 142-4 | 143 |
| Worth Pump | 23-2 | 22-2 | 22-2 |

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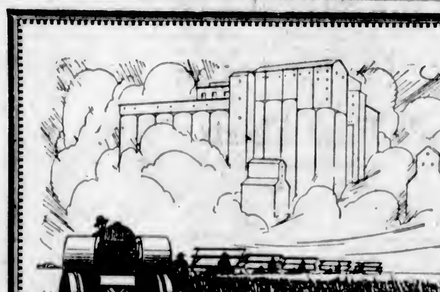

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## Victoria Stock Exchange

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| B.C. Silver | 1.20 | 2.10 |
| Dunwell Mines | 1.60 | 1.75 |
| Glacier Creek | .05 | .05½ |
| Gladstone | .30 | .32 |
| Gleaner | .. | .56 |
| Goldsmith | .18 | .20 |
| Howe Sound | 22.20 | 25.00 |
| Independence | .. | .09½ |
| Indian Mines | .04 | .06¼ |
| International Coal | .12 | .15 |
| L. & L. Glacier | .. | .12 |
| Lakeview | .03 | .05 |
| Leadsmith | .08 | .09¼ |
| Lucky Jim | .13 | .14 |
| Malaspina | .11½ | .20 |
| Marmot Metals | .05 | .10 |
| Porter-Idaho | .07½ | .10 |
| Premier Mines | 2.05 | 2.20 |
| Rufus | .. | .12 |
| Selkirks | .. | .04¼ |
| Silverado | .. | .50 |
| Silver Crest Mines | .. | .15 |
| Sunloch Mines | .48 | .26 |
| Terminus | .. | .95 |
| Victoria | .05 | .12 |
| **Oils** | | |
| B.C. Montana | .. | .0⅜ |
| **Miscellaneous** | | |
| B.C. Permanent Loan | 100.50 | 108.00 |
| B.C. Electric | 100.26 | 102.20 |

**Sales**

200 L. & L. at 12; 606 Dunwell, 1.70; 120 Dunwell, 1.72; 600 Silversmith, 48½.

## Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. by direct private wire)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Alberta Pacific Cons. | .45 | .50 |
| British Dominion | .75 | .. |
| Coopar | 1.10 | 1.15 |
| Dalhousie | 2.20 | 9.70 |
| Great West | 1.25 | 1.30 |
| Illinois Alberta | 1.20 | 1.55 |
| McLeod | 5.90 | 8.50 |
| Mill City | .. | .85 |
| Royalite | 220.00 | 225.00 |
| Signal Hill | .50 | .60 |
| United Oils | 2.00 | 2.50 |
| Vulcan Oil | .. | 4.40 |
| Advance | .50 | .75 |
| Cherokee | .50 | .50 |
| Big Chief | .75 | .72 |
| Midwest | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| McDougal Segur | 1.32½ | 1.40 |
| Rose Oil | 4.00 | 4.40 |
| Turner | .. | .36 |
| Urban | .30 | .35 |
| Madison | 1.09 | 1.20 |
| Moose Mountain | .. | .15 |

## Spokane Stocks

(From Northwest Mines Investment, through R. P. Castle & Co.)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Ajax | .26 | .23 |
| Ambergris | .11 | .. |
| Caledonia | .05¼ | .10½ |
| Gladstone Mountain | .21 | .34 |
| Goldsmith | .14 | .15 |
| Hecla | 12.06 | .. |
| Leadsmith | .09½ | .05½ |
| Lucky Jim | .14¼ | .15¼ |
| Marsh Cons. | .02¾ | .04½ |
| Premier Gold | 2.16 | 2.26 |
| Richmond Cons. | .07¾ | .08¼ |
| Sherman Lead | .17½ | .18¾ |
| Silversmith | .45½ | .50 |
| Standard | .07 | .16 |
| Stratton | .25½ | .. |
| Sunshine | .21 | .24 |
| Tamarack | .27½ | .40 |
| Western Union | .03¾ | .04½ |

### MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

| | Bid |
|---|---|
| Abitibi | 72-6 |
| Asbestos | 26 |
| Asbestos new pfd. | 76-4 |
| Atlantic Sugar | 22 |
| Bell Telephone | 135-2 |
| Brazilian Trac. | 65 |
| B.C. Fish. & Packing | 84-4 |
| Brompton Paper | 28-2 |
| Can. Cement com. | 100 |
| Can. Cement pfd. | 113 |
| Can. Car. Fdy. com. | 38 |
| Can. Car Fdy. pfd. | 80 |
| Can. S.S. com. | 19 |
| Can. S.S. pfd. | 72 |
| Can. Cottons | 117 |
| Can. Converters | 91 |
| Can. Ind. Alc. | 16 |
| Cons. M. & S. | 264 |
| Dominion Bridge | 86 |
| Dominion Glass | 95 |
| Dominion Textile | 92-4 |
| Howard Smith | 42-4 |
| Lake of Woods Milling | 144 |
| Laurentide Co. | 84 |
| Mackay Co. | 120 |
| Montreal Power | 224-2 |
| National Breweries | 66 |
| Ontario Steel | 60 |
| Ogilvie Milling Co. | 170 |
| Ottawa Power | 98 |
| Penmans, Ltd. | 164-7 |
| Shewinigan | 181 |
| Spanish River Pulp | 99 |
| Spanish River Pulp pfd. | 109 |
| Steel of Canada | 159 |
| Twin City Elec. | 71 |

### FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| French 5s. 1949 | 89 | 89½ |
| French 7½s. 1941 | 97 | .. |
| French 8s. 1945 | 101¾ | 102 |
| Austrian 7s. 1943 | 100½ | 100¾ |
| German 7s. 1949 | 104 | 104½ |

## EXPORT BUSINESS RAISES WHEAT PRICES

**Winnipeg Market Features Advance as Foreign Business Takes Care of All Offerings**

WINNIPEG, May 25.—There was sufficient export business to absorb the light offerings in the wheat market here today, and prices showed an advance of ⅛ cent to 1⅛ cents at the close.

The May future, which closed at the high point of the day, $1.53¾, for a gain of 1⅛ cents, featured the trading. Exporters, shippers and "shorts" on the buying end were all after the moderate offerings. Other futures, July, which closed at $1.50⅝, and October, $1.32⅝, were not in urgent demand.

A very light trade was reported in the coarse grains, but prices were higher in sympathy with wheat.

Trade in cash grains continued to be a car lot proposition, with no urgency to the demand.

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| May | 152½ | 153¾ | 152¾ | 153¾ |
| July | 149 | 150⅝ | 149 | 150⅝ |
| Oct. | 132¼ | 132⅝ | 131¾ | 132⅝b |
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 48⅛ | 48⅝ | 48⅛ | 48⅝b |
| July | 48⅜ | 49 | 48⅜ | 49 |
| Oct. | .. | .. | .. | 42⅝a |
| Barley— | | | | |
| May | 60⅝ | 61b | 60⅝ | 61b |
| July | 62 | 62¼ | 61⅝a | 62¼ |
| Oct. | .. | .. | .. | 51⅝b |
| Flax— | | | | |
| May | 132¼ | 194 | 152⅝ | 154b |
| July | 196 | 195½ | 195½ | 196½ |
| Oct. | 200 | .. | .. | 200b |
| Rye— | | | | |
| May | 84⅜ | 85b | 84 | 85b |
| July | 95½ | 86⅝ | 85½ | 86⅝ |
| Oct. | 87 | 87¼ | 85⅝ | 87¼ |

**Cash Prices**

Wheat—1 nor., 154⅝; 2 nor., 150⅝; 3 nor., 145⅝; No. 4, 137¼; No. 5, 123⅝; No. 6, 107⅞; feed, 93⅝; track, 151⅝; screenings, $3 a ton.

Oats—2 cw., 49⅝; 3 cw., 45⅝; extra 1 feed, 45⅝; 1 feed, 43⅝; 2 feed, 40⅛; rejected, 38⅝; track, 48⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 61; 4 cw., 57½; rejected, 55½; feed, 54½; track, 61.

Flax—1 nwc., 194; 2 cw., 190; 3 cw., 176; rejected, 166; track, 194.

Rye—2 cw., 85.

### VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

**Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free**

| Interest due— | Buy | Sell |
|---|---|---|
| 1627, 1st June & Dec. | 100.52 | 161.52 |
| 1932, 1st May & Nov. | 104.80 | 105.80 |
| 1937, 1st June & Dec. | 107.80 | 109.80 |
| **War Loan, 5%—Tax Free** | | |
| 1931, 1st April & Oct. | 101.05 | 102.62 |
| 1937, 1st Mar. & Sept. | 103.20 | 104.26 |
| (Payable New York) | | |
| **Victory Loan, 5½%** | | |
| 1927, 1st May & Nov. | 100.40 | 101.40 |
| 1932, 1st May & Nov. | 102.30 | 103.26 |
| 1934, 1st May & Nov. | 102.55 | 103.22 |
| **Dominion Loan** | | |
| 1928, 15th April & Oct., 5% | 99.52 | 100.95 |
| 1943, 15th April & Oct., 5% | 101.40 | 102.40 |
| 1940, Mar. 1 & Sept. 1, 4½% | 95.45 | 96.45 |
| 1944, 15th Ap. & Oct., 4½% | 22.70 | 25.70 |
| 1924, 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 5% | | 104.60 |

Add accrued interest to date: 1927, 1927, 176 days, 2.637 per $106. 1927, 1932, 1932, 1934, 24 days, .262 per $100.

1928, 1943, 40 days, .548 per $100. 1944, 40 days, .493 per $100.

### NEW YORK CURB

2 O'CLOCK LIST

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| **Industrials** | | |
| Acme Coal | .05 | .10 |
| Centrifugal | .18½ | .12½ |
| Checker Cab | .04 | .11 |
| Durant Del. | .03½ | .03¾ |
| Mesabi | .01½ | .01¾ |
| Stutz | .26 | .27 |
| Reo | .20 | .20¾ |
| Tob. Prod. Ex. | .02½ | .03½ |
| Un. Profit Shar | .11½ | .11½ |
| Un. Retail Candy | .06¼ | .06½ |
| Cities Serv. com. | .40½ | .40 |
| Cities Serv. pfd. | .85½ | .85¾ |
| Cities Serv. bkrs. | .20½ | .20¾ |
| Am. Gas El. | .72 | .73½ |
| Lehigh Pow. Secs. | .12½ | .13 |
| **Oils** | | |
| Carib. | .13½ | .12¾ |
| Glenrock | .10 | .25 |
| Int. Pete | .33½ | .33¼ |
| Marl. Mex. | .02 | .03½ |
| Mexico Oil | .10 | .12 |
| Contl. Oil | .20 | .20½ |
| Pennock Oil | .19¼ | .19½ |
| Ryan Cons. | .06 | .06¼ |
| Sapulpa | .01 | .01½ |
| Salt Cr. Prod. | .20½ | .20¾ |
| Salt Cr. Cons. | .08½ | .09¼ |
| Wilcox | .28½ | .29 |
| Cly | .13½ | .13¾ |
| Mountain Prod. | .24½ | .25 |
| **Mines** | | |
| Ariz. Globe | .06 | .09 |
| Butte & W. | .10 | .. |
| Cal. Jerome | .10 | .12 |
| Cons. Corp. | .02¾ | .02¾ |
| Cresson | .02¾ | .02¾ |
| Dolores | 4.20 | 4.60 |
| Hecla | .15½ | .15¼ |
| Hollinger | .19½ | .19 |
| J. V. Devel | .50 | .25 |
| Kerr Lake | .01 | .01¼ |
| Mason Valley | .01½ | .01¾ |
| Nipissing | .05¾ | .05¼ |
| Ohio Copper | .55 | .50 |
| Teck Hughes | .03 7-16 | .03½ |
| Un. Eastern | .32 | .22 |
| Un. Verde Ex. | .27¾ | .28 |
| Wayne Coal | .16 | .. |

### VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| B.C. Silver | 1.25 | 2.05 |
| Bowens Copper | .. | .05 |
| Bayview | .. | .10 |
| Cork Province | .. | .05 |
| Dunwell | 1.70 | 1.75 |
| Douglas Channel | .. | .01 |
| Glacier | .. | .11 |
| Gladstone | .32 | .35 |
| Howe Sound | 22.00 | 22.00 |
| Haselton Gold Cobalt | .. | .02 |
| Independence | .08¾ | .09½ |
| Indian Mines | .05½ | .. |
| International Coal | .16 | .15 |
| L. & L. | .10 | .12 |
| Marmot Metals | .07 | .08½ |
| Lucky Jim | .14 | .15 |
| Leadsmith | .08½ | .09 |
| National Silver | .13 | .17 |
| Premier | 2.16 | 2.25 |
| Porter-Idaho | .05 | .10½ |
| Ruth Hope | .25 | .30 |
| Richmond | .07¾ | .08¼ |
| Selkirks | .02½ | .04½ |
| Silver Crest | .12 | .14 |
| Silversmith | .48 | .50 |
| Surf Inlet | .06 | .07½ |
| Trojan Oil | .02½ | .02½ |
| Athabaska | .. | .10 |
| B.C. Montana | .00 3-16 | .00 5-16 |
| British Petroleum | .15 | .. |
| Maple Leaf | .. | .50 |
| B.C. Perm. Loan | 102.00 | .. |
| B.C. Tel. | 135.00 | .. |
| B.C. E. Ry. P. and O. | 161.00 | 161.60 |
| C. P. R. | 161.00 | .. |

**Morning Sales**—250 Dunwell at 1.71, 50 at 1.75; 500 Gladstone at .32, 500 at .33¼, 1,000 L. & L. at 10, 200 Premier at 2.20, 1,500 Independence at .09; 2,000 Leadsmith at .08¾, 500 Silversmith at 49½, 7,000 Indian at 05½, 2,000 at .06¼, 2,000 at 05¾, 10,000 at 05¼.

**Afternoon Sales**—1,000 Independence at .09, 1,500 Leadsmith at 08¾, 900 Silversmith at 49½; 1,000 National Silver at .14; 156 Premier at 2.15, 80,000 B.C. Montana at .00 3-16, 5,000 at 00¼, 500 Richmond at .07¾, 2,000 L. & L. at .11, 2,600 Lakeview at .03½.

### METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, May 25.—Copper, dull; electrolytic, spot and futures, 13⅞ to 14. Tin, spot and nearby, $61.00; futures, $59.50. Iron, easy; No. 1 Northern, $21.00 to $22.00; No. 2 Northern, $20.00 to $21.00; No. 2 Southern, $22.00 to $23.00. Lead, quiet; spot, $7.65. Zinc, steady; spot, $7.65; East St. Louis, spot and futures, $6.85. Antimony, spot, $10.00.

**At London**

LONDON, May 25.—Standard copper, spot, £56 7s 6d; futures, £57 5s. Electrolytic, spot, £66 5s; futures, £64 10s. Tin, spot, £268 17s 6d; futures, £268 7s 7d. Lead, spot, £28 10s; futures, £29. Zinc, spot, £32 3s 6d; futures, £32 10s.

### MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, May 25.—Money, 4¼ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 5-16 per cent; three months' bills, 4 5-16 per cent.

**At New York**

NEW YORK, May 25.—Call money, steady; high, 4; low, 4; ruling rate, 4; closing bid, 4; offered at 4⅛; call loans, against acceptances, 3⅛. Time loans, steady; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4, 4-6 months, 4. Prime commercial paper, 4.

## Wholesale Row

(Revised May 25, 1926)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Eggs** | | |
| Fresh Extras, doz. | | .29 |
| Fresh Firsts, doz. | | .27 |
| Pullets, Extras | | .26 |
| **Butter** | | |
| Best, cartons | | .46 |
| Prints, No. 2 | | .37 |
| Dairy solids | | .20 |
| Dairy Prints | | .31 |
| **Cheese** | | |
| B.C. large, lb. | | .28 |
| B.C. twins, lb. | | .26½ |
| B.C. triplets, lb. | | .20 |
| Alberta solids, lb. | | .20 |
| Alberta Stiltons, lb. | | .20 |
| Ontario solids, lb., new, .25; matured | | .27½ |
| Ontario twins, lb., new, .25½; matured | | .28 |
| Ontario triplets, lb., new, .24; matured | | .28½ |
| Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make, lb. | | .52½ |
| **Lard** | | |
| Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb. | | .23 |
| Compound—Tierces basis, per lb. | | .17 |
| **Vegetables** | | |
| Asparagus, Cal. | .12 | .12 |
| Asparagus, local | .20 | .29 |
| Beans, wax, per lb. | | M.P. |
| Beans, green, per lb. | | M.P. |
| Beets, per sack | | 1.75 |
| Cucumber, hothouse, No. 1, per doz. | | 2.60 |
| Cucumber, hothouse, No. 2, per doz. | | 2.56 |
| Cabbage, per lb. | | M.P. |
| Carrots, sack | | 1.26 |
| Cauliflower, doz. | 1.60 to | 2.00 |
| Celery, imported, doz. | | M.P. |
| Lettuce, head, Cal., cts. | 5.50 | 6.00 |
| Onions, Okanagan, sack | | 1.00 |
| Onions, Yakima Spanish, sack | | 2.00 |
| Parsnips, per sack | | 2.26 |
| Potatoes, sweet, per hamper | | 4.29 |
| Potatoes, Mainland | | 2.60 |
| Potatoes, dry belt, Gems, per sack | | 2.00 |
| Potatoes, dry belt, White, per sack | | 2.00 |
| Rhubarb | | .06 |
| Tomatoes, hothouse— | | |
| No. 1, per crt. | | M.P. |
| No. 2 | | M.P. |
| No. 3 | | M.P. |
| Turnips, new, per sack | | 1.26 |
| Radishes, local, per doz. | | M.P. |
| Grapefruit, Florida | 9.06 | 9.75 |
| Grapefruit, Cal. | 5.56 | 6.25 |
| Green Peppers, lb. | | M.P. |
| **Fruits** | | |
| Strawberries | | M.P. |
| Cranberries | | .29 |
| Pineapples, fresh Cuban, crt. | | M.P. |
| Apples— | | |
| Spitzerbergs | 2.75 | 3.25 |
| Yellow Newtons | 2.75 | 2.99 |
| Rome Beauties | 2.75 | 2.00 |
| Winesaps | 2.66 | 2.50 |
| Local Apples, crt. | 1.46 | 1.79 |
| Jonathans | 2.06 | 1.50 |
| Winter Banana | | 1.75 |
| Local Apples, crt. | .75 | 3.25 |
| Bananas, uncrated | | .16 |
| Bananas, crated | | .12 |
| Lemons, case | | 5.00 |
| Cocoanuts, ea. | | 1.50 |

**MEAT**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Beef, No. 1 Steers | | .14 |
| Lamb | | .20 |
| Lard | .15½ | .22 |
| Veal | .14 | .20 |
| Bacon | .42 | .40 |
| Mutton | | .22 |
| Hams | .37 | .39 |
| Chickens | .32 | .39 |
| Fowl | .25 | .30 |
| Pork | | .23 |

**SUGAR**

B.C. Refinery—
White, per hundred 6.95
Yellow, per hundred 5.55

**FEED**

| | 100 lbs. | Per Ton |
|---|---|---|
| Barley | $2.10 | $40.00 |
| Gr. Barley | 2.20 | 42.00 |
| Corn | 2.60 | 56.06 |
| Cracked Corn | 2.70 | 52.06 |
| Feed Cornmeal | 2.70 | 59.06 |
| Oats | 2.10 | 49.60 |
| Oats, ground | 2.20 | 42.66 |
| Scratch Food | 2.76 | 52.00 |
| Poultry Mash | 2.20 | 60.00 |
| Marvel Egg Mash | 2.70 | 62.00 |

**FLOUR**

| | Per Sk. 49 lbs. |
|---|---|
| Snowflake | $2.65 |
| Purity | 2.65 |
| H. & K. Floor | 2.65 |
| Five Roses | 2.65 |
| Maple Leaf | 2.65 |
| Royal Standard | 2.65 |
| Royal Household | 2.65 |
| H. & K. Pastry | 2.60 |
| Whole Wheat | 2.59 |

## Retail Prices

(Revised May 25, 1926)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Eggs** | | |
| B.C. Fresh Extras | | .35 |
| B.C. Firsts | | .30 |
| **Vegetables** | | |
| Local hothouse Tomatoes, per lb. | | .20 |
| New Potatoes, 3 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Local Asparagus | | .25 |
| California new Carrots, per bunch | | .10 |
| Artichokes, Globe, each | | .15 |
| Cantaloupes, each | | .25 |
| Cabbage, local, lb. | | .08 |
| Celery, head | .10 | .25 |
| Cucumbers, fresh, each .. .25, .30 and | | .10 |
| Onions, pickling, 4 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Green Spring Onions, bunch | | .05 |
| Parsley, bunch | | .05 |
| Lettuce, Cal., fresh, per hd. | | .15 |
| Lettuce, hothouse leaf, head | | .05 |
| Local Onions, 5 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Peas, green, fresh, 2 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Potatoes, . lbs. for | | .25 |
| Potatoes, local, per sack | | 2.75 |
| Potatoes, sweet, 3 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Mushrooms, cultivated | 1.00 | 1.25 |
| Radishes, 3 bunches for | | .10 |
| Spinach, local, 5 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Tomatoes, hothouse, per lb. | | .42 |
| Mexican Tomatoes, lb. | | .30 |
| Turnips, local, 10 lbs. for | | .29 |
| Watercress, per bunch | | .04 |
| **Fruits** | | |
| Apples— | | |
| McIntosh Red, per box | | 2.25 |
| Delicious, per box | | 3.25 |
| Bananas, doz. | .40 and | .60 |
| Fresh Pineapple | | .25 |
| Cherries, per lb. | | .40 |
| Figs, Cal., layer, 2-oz. pkts. | | .15 |
| Per lb. | .25 | .25 |
| Lemons, doz. | | .29 |
| Oranges, new, navels, doz. | | .25 |
| Raisins, Spanish Cluster, pkt. .60 and | | .65 |
| Rhubarb, 5 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Local Strawberries, box | | .20 |
| Fresh Strawberries, box | | .20 |
| **Fish** | | |
| Bloaters, 2 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Cod fillets, per lb. | | .20 |
| Halibut, per lb. | .30 | .25 |
| Soles, lb. | | .19 |
| Black Cod, fresh, 2 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Skate, 2 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Cod, 2 lbs. for | | .22 |
| Kippers, per lb. | | .15 |
| Finnan Haddies, per lb. | | .20 |
| Oysters— | | |
| Esquimalt, doz. | | .66 |
| Olympia, per pint | | .30 |
| Smelts, per lb. | | .25 |
| Salmon | | .25 |
| Salmon, white, 2 lbs. for | | .25 |
| Salmon, small red | | .22½ |
| Crabs | .15, .20 | .24 |
| Herring, fresh | | .16 |

## Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Ill., May 25.—Wheat: Resisted pressure throughout, rallying from dips and getting into slightly higher ground in the last few minutes. May wheat was in light trade but displayed more firmness than the deferred months. There was considerable selling due to reports of rainfall over big areas of the Northwest, but offerings passed into the hands of strong commission houses and an oversold pit condition developed late. Export business was moderately improved with the seaboard confirming 300,000 bushels as being worked and indicated that the business was larger. The Canadian market ruled independently all day and reports from there said a big short interest prevailed in the May delivery, with the pool owning the bulk of the cash wheat.

Stocks at Minneapolis for three days decreased 125,000 bushels. The stock of wheat on ocean passage for the week totaled 40,592,000, showing an increase of 4,008,000 bushels. Cash demand here was fair with the premiums unchanged to ⅛ cent lower. There were 25,000 bushels sold to go to store. The wheat market, irrespective of news, is manifesting undeniable firmness, and believe that the advance lies with the buying side on weak spots.

Corn: Sold off early under scattered pressure, the July delivery reaching a new low on the crop but recovered with other grains in final minutes. News developments were without much change. Run of corn from country continues moderate, although there are indications that the receipts at primary points will pick up the next few days.

Oats: Closed steady to firm in line with the leading cereal, rallying a little late as short covering developed. News pertaining to this grain was without much change.

Rye: Showed more life than for some time. There have been unfavorable crop reports coming in the last few days from the Northwest.

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| Old May | 160⅝ | 160⅝ | 159¼ | 160 |
| New May | 161⅝ | 165 | 162½ | 165 |
| July | 138½ | 138½ | 137½ | 138⅝ |
| Sept. | 132 | 132 | 132 | 133 |
| Dec. | 136½ | 136½ | 135⅝ | 136½ |
| Corn— | | | | |
| May | 69⅝ | 69⅝ | 68⅝ | 69½ |
| July | 73 | 73 | 72⅝ | 73⅝ |
| Sept. | 76⅝ | 77 | 76⅝ | 76⅝ |
| Dec. | 76 | 76⅝ | 75⅝ | 75⅝ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 39½ | 38½ | 39 | 39⅝ |
| July | 40⅝ | 40⅝ | 40⅝ | 40⅝ |
| Rye— | | | | |
| May | 84⅝ | 84⅝ | 84⅝ | 84⅝ |
| July | 86½ | 87⅝ | 86⅝ | 87 |

### MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, May 25.—Butter and eggs firm; cheese steady.

Cheese—Finest Westerns, 18¼c to 18⅝c.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 34¼c to 34½c.

Fresh Eggs—Extras, 36c; firsts, 34c.

Potatoes—Per bag, $2.50.

### SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, May 25.—Bar silver, 29 15-16d per ounce.

### STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 25.—Sterling exchange, easy: demand, $4.85 15-16; cables, $4.86 7-16; 60-day bills on banks, $4.81 1-16.

**At Victoria**

Buying, $4.84½; selling, $4.87½.

**Dow Jones Averages**

Twenty industrials, 141.16, up .75.
Twenty rails, 108.84, off .07.

### Found Dead

LONDON, May 25.—Sir Charles Walpole, jurist and author, was found dead in the smoking room of his house in Kensington Court late last night. Death was due to a bullet wound. A revolver lay beside the body when it was found.

### Man, Match and Gasoline

KITCHENER, Ont., May 25.—Jacob Gatschene, sixty-seven, of Waterloo received serious burns when his automobile, after rolling down a 100-foot embankment and leaving him unhurt, burst into flames as he struck a match. Every inch of his clothing was burned from his body. Gasoline had spilled from the tank.

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# VICTORIA STILL LEADS IN BEAUTY

**MR. GEORGE I. WARREN OUTLINES HIS IMPRESSIONS OF SOUTHERN TOUR**

**Advertising Pays Florida Centres, He Tells Local Service Clubs—Must Develop Resources Here**

Impressions gained during his recent trip to Charleston, South Carolina, where he attended the annual convention of the National Foreign Trade Council, and visited various cities in Florida, were told by Publicity Commissioner George I. Warren, of Victoria, in an address he delivered yesterday in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium to a joint gathering of Kiwanis and Gyro Clubs.

"I was greatly surprised," said Mr. Warren, at the information Charleston people possessed about Victoria. In one home there, I found eight ladies who had visited here, and acknowledged it was one of the prettiest places they ever had the privilege of being in," Mr. Warren declared.

The speaker referred to the famous Magnolia Gardens of South Carolina. They covered twenty-five acres, and were widely advertised. Those wishing to walk through these gardens must first pay $2 admission fee. "Famous and picturesque as they are, the Magnolia Gardens do not compare with the lovely sunken garden of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Butchart at Tod Inlet," he affirmed.

Mr. Warren told the gathering that he found the people of Carolina had a very high regard for the British. The small town of St. Petersburg, Florida, strongly believed in advertising and publicity. More than tweny-three per cent of all taxes collected are spent in publicity. The results of that policy had been so happy that no one there is dissatisfied. In addition to the above amount, the sum of $38,000 is expended annually in band music.

**Building Very Active**

Mr. Warren visited Jacksonville, where he found the high inflated values of real estate had broken, prices having reached their peak. However, building was still active. The value of building permits in that city in 1924 were $7,000,000; in 1925, $14,000,000, and for this year, $25,000,000.

"A peculiar feature about the Auto Tourist Camp in Jacksonville is that there are no restrictions as to the length of time a motor tourist can stay at the camp. The fee for staying is fifty cents per day, and many tourists have built homes right at the camp, and have been there for three for four years. In this way, they escape payment of taxes, fail to contribute to the cost of education, water charges, etc.," said the speaker, amid laughter.

Mr. Warren pointed out that Miami depended upon the seasonal Winter trade. When he was there, hotel after hotel was boarded up and would remain so until the Winter season came round again. There were, however, many new hotels, costing millions to build, being constructed. There was an increase in the population of Miami every Winter amounting to 800 per cent, due to the influx of tourists.

**Island Cannot Be Excelled**

In concluding Mr. Warren referred to the wonderful climate, unsurpassed scenery and great natural resources of this Province and Island, claiming they could not be excelled. He said that the development of the resources must be proceeded with, and vigorous efforts must be continued to make the tourist trade to Victoria as large as possible.

Mr. B. C. Nicholas, president of the Kiwanis Club, observed that British Columbia in spite of only having 600,000 population, as compared to 1,500,000 in the state of Florida, produced twice as much in natural wealth as the Southern state, and at that the great resources of this Province have only been scratched as yet.

Announcement was made that the opening of the children's wading pool at Beacon Hill Park will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The address will be delivered by Dr. Howard Miller, past president of the organization, and the city will be represented by Alderman Marchant.

**Float Committee Praised**

Members of the Kiwanis float committee were thanked by the president for the excellent float they entered in Monday's parade here.

The Kiwanis and Gyro orchestras rendered appreciated musical selections and two vocal solos by Mr. Thomas Kelway elicited approbation. Mr. Archie Muir, president of the Gyro Club, thanked the Kiwanians for having the Gyros join with them at the luncheon.

## *Denies Authorities' Story*

WARSAW, May 25.—Helen Bridge, head of the Red Cross Training School for Nurses here, denied categorically yesterday that atrocities were committed by either side during Poland's "black week."


## Be Careful What You Wash Your Child's Hair With

If you want to keep your children's hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Do not use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo (which is pure and entirely greaseless) is much better than anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can not possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. Two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulsified will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to manage.

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## *Traveled 900,000 Miles; Wants to Go to Poles*

**MISS CELESTE MILLER**

Of Chicago, aged eighty, has completed thirty-one trips round the world, covering a total distance of 900,000 miles, and now yearns to travel to the North and South Poles.

# ISLAND MINING SHOWS PROGRESS

**Encouraging Development Marks History of Industry on Vancouver Island During Year 1925**

Substantial progress was made during 1925 in the development of the mining industry on Vancouver Island, according to the annual report of the Department of Mines.

Mr. W. M. Brewer, resident mining engineer, points out in the report that the progress is best shown by the development work that has been done on a number of properties, such as the Old Sport mine, Quatsino Sound, operated by the Coast Copper Company; the Alice Lake group, in the Quatsino division; the Star of the West group, Tasis Canal, Nootka Sound; the Sunloch group, Jordan River, about forty miles from Victoria; the Gem, on Texada Island; Doratha Morton, Alexandra, Enid, Julie and Monte Cristo, Fanny Bay, the Florence, John Bull and Royal Arch group on the shore of Mallalpina, and other properties.

Little activity is reported in mining in the Alberni district. While there has been small production from any mineral claims in the Quatsino district, considerable prospecting has been done, particularly in the vicinity of Alice and Victoria Lakes, on Kyuquot River, at the head of Kyuquot Sound, and in Easy Cove, in the same section.

Two sections in the Clayoquot mining division, in the neighborhood of Tasis Canal and Kennedy River, have attracted considerable attention in 1925. In the Kennedy River section fissure quartz veins carry gold values sometimes as high as $50 to the ton.

There was more or less extensive prospecting done in the Victoria Mining Division and partial development work on about fifty claims which were in good standing at the end of the year.

Much of the work in the Jordan River section consisted of the assessment work on claims. On the Sunloch group on Jordan River, considerable prospecting work was done on the Rosland claims, on the northeasterly part of the property, this work being preparatory to development work proposed for 1926 by the Sunloch Mines, Limited, a large majority of the stock of which is owned by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada. The company proposes to erect a concentrating plant for which a site will be acquired.

An old-time property, on which operations are expected to be resumed in 1926, is the Lenora, on Mt. Sicker. Work was also done on the old Richard III mine, adjoining the Tyee, a shaft has been sunk seventy feet and exploration work carried on.

# HERTZOG WITHDRAWS AFRICAN FLAG BILL

**Prominent Members of Labor Party Oppose Nationalists' Movement—Measure Is Postponed**

CAPETOWN, South Africa, May 25.—A bill providing for the proposed new South African flag will be withdrawn at the present session of the House of Assembly, but it will be reintroduced next year, according to an announcement made today by Hon. D. F. Malan, Minister of the Interior.

The design of the new South African flag excludes the Union Jack.

It comprises a vertical red stripe and horizontal stripes of green, yellow and blue. There is strong opposition to the new flag because it excludes the Union Jack, and this opposition has been growing stronger and stronger since the Hertzog Government accepted the design.

Prominent members of the Labor party have opposed the flag, though it is through a pact between the Labor party and the Nationalist party that the Hertzog Government holds power, and there have been intimations of a split between the Labor and Nationalist parties over the flag situation.

Leave to introduce the flag bill was granted last Thursday on division in the House of Assembly, 69 to 49. The bill was then given first reading.

## *Man and Wife Slain*

BREMERTON, Wash., May 25.—Floyd Frone, a dairyman, and his wife, were found today in their cabin near Charleston, south of here, with bullet holes in their heads. They died a few minutes after being discovered. A suspect found in the vicinity was detained for questioning.


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—Mantle, 1st Floor

### Girls' Wash Frocks

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**$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50**

Check and Plaid Gingham and Chambray Dresses in a good assortment of styles; shades including pinks, blues, greens and yellow. Sizes for 8 to 14 years. Special, each ..... **$1.00**

Gingham Dresses, with bloomers to match; shown in assorted checks or plain colors. Good range to choose from. Special values, $1.25 and ..... **$1.50**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

### Summer Color and Freshness Reflected in Cotton Wash Fabrics

Here are the new weaves—varied, and delightful in their suggestions for the new wardrobe that will be in accord with the charm of Summer days.

Figured Voiles, dainty and flower-like in color and designs; 38 inches wide. Wonderful value, yard, **39¢**

Silk Stripe Voiles in very attractive colorings; fine even weave; a very dressy fabric for afternoon dresses; 40 inches wide. A yard ..... **69¢**

Striped Broadcloths, smooth and silky, for sports frocks; shown in wonderful combinations of shades. Woven Stripes, 40 inches wide, a yard ..... **98¢**

Printed Stripes, 38 inches wide, a yard ..... **59¢**

Plaid Ginghams in a great variety of shades; smart for children's wear; 38 inches wide. Special, a yard, **39¢**

Realfast Suitings, crisp and smart for sports wear; shown in all popular shades; fast to sun and tub; 38 inches wide. Special, a yard ..... **49¢**

### Fancy Boxed Handkerchiefs

**Gordon's Stock, at Less Than Half Price**

Women's Handkerchiefs, many styles, and all in fancy boxes. These are marked in most cases just half the Gordon selling price. Great values ..... **25¢** to **$1.50**

Women's Handkerchiefs, colors or white, fine grade lawn, and neatly embroidered in white or contrasting colors. Gordons, Limited, price to 35c. On sale, each ..... **15¢**

Handkerchief Dolls, for party prizes. A celluloid doll, dressed in Dutch style, with novelty handkerchief. Gordons, Limited, price, $1.50, for ..... **98¢**

—Handkerchiefs, Main Floor

### For Summer Lingerie

Casino Voiles, fine and soft, in all pastel colorings; 36 inches wide. A yard ..... **39¢**

Figured Crepes, floral and bird designs; lovely soft quality and attractive colorings. A yard ..... **29¢**

Plain Voiles, good weave, soft texture; all pastel colorings; 38 inches wide. A yard, **29¢**

Pastel Colored Naincheck, a durable fabric of nice appearance; 38 inches wide. A yard ..... **29¢**

—Wash Goods, Main Floor

### Corselettes

Bought for Gordons to Sell at $1.75—On Sale for

**$1.00**

Side Hook Corselettes of fancy pink brocaded cotton, very neat fitting with insets of elastic over hips and light boning across diaphragm. Finished with four hose supporters. Gordon's price, $1.75. On sale today for ..... **$1.00**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

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Children's Khaki Overalls, two-piece style; pants buttoned onto middy at waist and finished with band at knees; middy has sailor collar trimmed with red braid. Sizes for 2 to 6 years. On sale, a suit ..... **$1.75**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

### Men's Pull-Over Vests

Light Weight Woolen Pull-Over Vests, no sleeve style, with V neck; shown in assorted neat stripe patterns. Very special, each ..... **$1.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Men's Bathing Suits, $2.45

All-Wool Bathing Suits, good weight in usual style, with contrasting stripes on the skirt. Special today, a suit ..... **$2.45**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### SUMMER HOSIERY

For Women and Children

Pure Silk Hose, with hemmed or elastic tops, neat fitting and of good appearance. Shown in shades of hoggar, sugar cane, rose taupe, Circassian, bois de rose, pongee, peach, fawn, aluminum and black. On sale, a pair ..... **69¢**

Pure Thread Silk Hose, with pointed heels; very smart and neat in appearance; give the ankles a slender line. Shown in harmonizing shades for the new shoes. On sale, a pair ..... **$1.29**

A new shipment of "Kayser Hosiery" just received gives you a choice of all the new Summer shades to harmonize with smart shoes.

Full Fashioned Service Weight Silks, a pair ..... **$1.95**

Full Fashioned Chiffons, pointed heels ..... **$1.95**

Exquisite Chiffon Hose, Kayser brand, pointed heels and silk from toe to garter hem; shown in light and dark shades. A pair ..... **$2.50**

Children's Silk Three-Quarter Socks, fine quality and pretty Summer shades; finished with cuff tops. A pair ..... **75¢**

Silk Half Socks, same quality as above; pretty Summer shades. A pair ..... **50¢**

Three-Quarter Lisle Socks, all shades for Summer, finished with ribbed cuff top; very smart for either boys or girls. A pair ..... **39¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

### Women's Belts

Gordon's Stock—On Sale, Each

**10c to 95c**

The remainder of Gordons, Limited, Stock of Belts, including patent, suede and leather. A large assortment of colors and widths, varying from 1 to 3 inches. Priced for rapid selling. **10¢** to ..... **95¢**

—Handbags, Main Floor

### Harriet Hubbard Ayer's Toiletries

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### French Castile Soap

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Those who purchased at our last sale of this pure French Olive Oil Soap, have asked us specially to give another opportunity of purchasing a supply as before. We are therefore placing 20 cases on sale today at **13** cakes for ..... **50¢**

### Bathing Caps

A special sale of assorted lines at, each ..... **25¢**

—Toiletries, Main Floor

### Men's Fine Shirts

Special Values Today and Thursday

Men's Printed Percale Negligee Shirts, Our Own Brand, fast colors; good assortment of stripes; all sizes. On sale, each ..... **$1.35**

Empire Broadcloth Shirts, guaranteed to fit and stand reasonable wear. Shown in fancy stripes on a cream ground, some with separate collars to match. Special, each ..... **$2.25**

Men's Broadcloth Shirts, self colors and white, with separate collars to match; all sizes. Special, each ..... **$1.95**

A Limited Quantity Only at This Low Price.

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Men's Summer Pajamas, Special a Suit, $1.95

White or Plain Shade Naincheck Pajamas, for the warm nights; trimmed with silk loops; low neck style; well made and finished. All sizes. Special, a suit ..... **$1.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Elastic Band Bows, new colors and patterns; silk and silk and wool crepe. Regular 50c each. On sale ..... **35¢**
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Bandana Handkerchiefs of mercerized cotton, fast colors; assorted patterns. Medium size ..... **35¢**
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50 Dozen Men's White Irish Cambric Handkerchiefs, hemstitched borders. Medium size. Regular 2 for 25c. On sale ..... **3 for 25¢**
Or **1** dozen for ..... **$1.00**

Light Summer Weight Garters, narrow elastic web, in assorted colors. A pair ..... **25¢**

White Elastic Web Invisible Braces, 2 or 4 point. Special, a pair ..... **50¢**

Silk Web. Special, a pair ..... **75¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Men's Light Weight Underwear For Summer

Stanfield's and Watson's Light Weight Elastic Rib Combinations, natural and white, broken lines and sizes. Made with short sleeves and knee length, long sleeves and ankle length, or athletic style. Values $3.00 a suit. While they last, on sale ..... **$1.95**

Stanfield's Fine Cream Mercerized Elastic Rib Combinations for Summer; short sleeves and three-quarter length. Ask for No. 110154. A suit ..... **$3.75**

Stanfield's Cream Cotton Elastic Rib Combinations, medium weight, long sleeves and ankle length. Ask for No. 14. Special, a suit ..... **$2.50**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Sale of Women's and Misses' Over-Blouses

Blouses of good quality spun silk, in tailored style, with long sleeves, buttoned cuffs and convertible or Bramley collars. Novelty Crepe de Chine Blouses, in peasant or handkerchief front styles, long or short sleeves. Values to $5.95. On sale for ..... **$3.95**

Tailored Over-Blouses of heavy spun silk, with plain hem at bottom. Tailored and Novelty Crepe de Chine Over-Blouses, with long or short sleeves and embroidered or plain effects. Regular $8.95 values. On sale, **$5.95**

Heavy Quality Crepe de Chine Over-Blouses, with long or short sleeves; beautifully embroidered with silk and tinsel thread. Values to $10.95. On sale for ..... **$7.95**

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### EGG CROCKS

Egg Crocks in 2 to 6-gallon sizes, special priced today, a gallon ..... **35¢**

—Chinaware, Lower Main Floor